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#### SECTION 1 Introduction

The purpose of this Guide is to provide the necessary information to permit the GATEC Systems Administrator to successfully understand and use the administrative features of the GATEC application. This document assumes that the PC-based software has been correctly installed on each PC, that the GATEC software has been correctly installed on the Site Hub and that the necessary network connectivity between the Lead Buyer's PC and the Site Hub has been established. [For details on the use of the GATEC application, consult the *GATEC Buyer User's Guide...*]

#### 1.1 Identification

This System Administrator User's Guide supports release 2.4.1 of the GATEC application. The GATEC application was developed for the Aeronautical Systems Center, Operational and Central Support Contracting Division, Air Force Materiel Command at Wright-Patterson AFB by staff of the Technology Information Systems Program (TISP) at the Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory (LLNL), operated by the University of California for the Department of Energy.

#### 1.2 Project Overview

Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory (LLNL), working in close conjunction with the Operational and Central Support Contracting Division at Wright-Patterson AFB, developed an electronic contracting system for use by Government agencies. GATEC uses EDI technology (ANSI X12 transactions enveloped in *smtp* email) to send Request for Quotes (RFQs) to vendors, receive Quotes from vendors and to transmit Awards and Award Summary information back to vendors. The flow of information goes from existing standard procurement systems through a local on-site computer for translation, then over the Internet to the LLNL-VAN communication hub computer for passing on to multiple Value Added Networks (VANs) and then on to vendors. The return routing is reversed. GATEC uses ANSI X12 standards

and connects to VANs using either *smtp* or X400 enveloping standards. At the time of award, the pertinent award summary information is emailed to the VANs for public dissemination.

The pilot has been operational since October 1992 and has achieved documented process improvements. Refinements to the system are being made and it is ready to be exported to other sites. Further enhancements are planned in phases and include contract administration, small dollar service procurements, user access to an item description database and inclusion of large dollar solicitations, specifications and contracts.

The modular development of GATEC allows the vast majority of the system to work with other agency systems with minimal software development needed. It is the only DoD EDI system in operation that uses national commercial EDI standards encapsulated in standard Email, multiple value added networks, communicate all solicitation and award actions, and work with multiple standard procurement systems thereby allowing "one face to industry".

To date, GATEC use has resulted in a documented significant reduction in processing time and an increase in productivity. There are both direct and indirect savings resulting from the use of EDI. These process improvements and savings accrue for all parties involved. It is important to note that this is only one area of the business cycle where EDI and Electronic Commerce (EC) can provide benefits. GATEC is helping to make the vendor base EDI-capable. The use of commercially accepted standards and off the shelf equipment with VAN provided software allows them to use the same methods to communicate with their other trading partners.

The overall goal of the GATEC project was to implement the functional capabilities needed to move government commodity procurement functions to electronic commerce. The specific first year goal was to implement electronic commerce in 1993 by processing the majority of the ASC Wright-Patterson commodity procurements under \$25,000 and to develop ASC Wright-Patterson into the DoD pilot site for electronic procurement using the Base Contracting Automated System (BCAS) procurement system.

The GATEC project is the first procurement project to implement an end-to-end solution for the Procurement function. The GATEC Project, jointly executed by Wright-Patterson and LLNL, is an important first step towards solving the labor-intensive procurement function of issuing RFQs, gathering quotations and making awards.

#### 1.3 Document Overview

This System Administrator's Guide was written for Release 2.4.1 of the LLNL GATEC application. It explains how a Systems Administrator performs administrative functions (such as adding new vendors, determining the status of BCAS) and can troubleshoot certain operational aspects of the GATEC system.

#### 1.3.1 Document Organization

Throughout this guide representative examples have been included to guide the Lead Buyer through the GATEC Lead Buyer features. The GATEC Lead Buyer User's Guide is made up of the following sections:

- The <u>Table of Contents</u> provides an outline of this guide.
- The <u>Introduction</u> describes the GATEC project, this guide and the document conventions used.
- <u>Referenced Documents</u> provides a list of related and referenced documents.

#### 1.3.2 Document References

References to other documents from this guide are indicated by the [].

[REF001] System and Network Administration, Sun Microsystems, Inc.

[REF002] Optical Disk Library System Administrators Guide, R-SQUARED Inc.

[REF003] Optical Disk Library System Models 60 and 100 Operators Guide, R--SQUARED Inc.

[REF004] IFS-INFINITY File System User's and Reference Manual, R--SQUARED Inc.

[REF005] SunOs Reference Manual., Microsystems, Inc.

[REF006]Windows User's Guide, Microsoft, Inc.

[REF007]EC-EDI Configuration Management, TIS Program, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory

[REF008] ORACLE for Sun 4 Installation and User's Guide, ORACLE Corporation.

[REF009] ASCENT Gateway Programmer's Guide, Control Data Corporation.

[REF010] UNIX Power Tools, Peek, O'Reilly, Loukides.

[REF011] Programming Perls, Bentley.

[REF012] ORACLE IUG, ORACLE Corporation.

[REF013] SQL\*Plus User's Guide and Reference, ORACLE Corporation.

[REF014] GATEC Lead Buyer's User's Guide, TIS Program, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory.

[REF015] GATEC Buyer's Guide, TIS Program, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory.

[REF016] GATEC Internal Software Description, TIS Program, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory.

#### SECTION 2 Environmental Specification

This section specifies the hardware and software configuration for the GATEC system.

#### 2.1 Hardware Specification

The GATEC series system is comprised of the following hardware:

(1 or 2) SPARC-10 51's with a minimum of 64M internal memory, 4 G external/internal hard disk capacity, 5 *G exobyte* tape unit, and one 3 1/4 inch disk drive. The computer is connected to an Ethernet (using TCP/IP protocol). The site's legacy procurement system (BCAS for GATEC Series) must also be connected to this Ethernet. Other than running TCP/IP there are only two other requirements for the BCAS system. First, it must be running the current BCAS software release. Second it must have three (GATEC) WANG command procedures installed on it. Installation of these files on the WANG is described in Section 3.7. Installation and operation of the Sun SPARC 10 computer on an Ethernet network is discussed in the Sun System and Network Administration [REF001] manual.

In the two SPARC configuration one machine is known as "the Database Machine," while the other is typically called "the Transport Machine." In the one SPARC configuration, both the database and transport operations are combined onto one machine.

Some configurations will make use of an optical disk tower to facilitate on-line long term storage of data. For this application a minimum of 2 G of hard disk will be needed to support the R SQUARED software which drives/supports the optical disk tower. Consult the following R SQUARED documents for details of the connection and operation of a disk tower system on a SPARC 10 machine. Optical Disk Library System Administrators Guide [REF002], Optical Disk Library System Models 60 and 100 Operators Guide [REF003], IFS-INFINITY File System User's and Reference Manual [REF004].

IBM-PC 486 clone with 8M internal memory, one 3 1/4 inch high

density disk drive, two serial com ports, and a minimum 250 MB hard drive. Dedicated serial or modem connection to concentrator annex facility which can facilitate Telnet session to SPARC.

#### 2.2 Software Specification

The SPARC machine(s) should be running version 4.1.3 of the Sun operating system. The operating system is discussed at length in the Sun *SunOs Reference Manual*. [REF005].

The IBM-PC should be running Windows version 3.1. The Windows application is discussed in Microsoft's *Windows User's Guide* [REF006].

The SPARC-10(s) will run 3 types of software. COTS, public domain, and LLNL developed (i.e. government owned). The government owned software can be divided into two categories, "GATEC specific software," and GATEC support software. The GATEC support software was not developed for the GATEC project, but is still used to accomplish some important support tasks. The directory structure for the SPARC machines is documented below. The files which are contained in each directory, are also noted. The two SPARC machine configuration is discussed first.

In the two SPARC configuration, one SPARC is known as the "Database Machine." This is because the GATEC ORACLE database is established on that machine. The other SPARC is known as the "Transport Machine" because X12 transactions are sent and received on that platform.

#### SECTION 3 GATEC Installation and Configuration

This section provides the System Administrator with the information required to successfully install and configure the GATEC system.

#### 3.1 Site Hub Software

Before the GATEC software can be installed, the directory structure must exist on the host machines. If installation is occurring via tape dissemination, the operator should mount the exobyte drive, insert the distribution tape and type the following command:

tar -xvf gatec2Install

Next, the operator should create a user known as gatec2. This user should have full privileges for directory creation throughout the system. After "su"-ing to gatec2, the gatec2Install script should be executed. It will first prompt the user with a question asking whether the install is being made on the database machine, transport machine, or whether the install is being made on just a one machine configuration. Once response is input, the script will establish the GATEC directory structure, and copy the appropriate files into each directory. After this is completed, the script will finish execution. If the site is using two SPARC-10's, before termination, the user will be reminded to dismount the exobyte, and re-mount it from the other machine.

The installation procedure on the other SPARC will be exactly the same as outlined above.

The only other software which needs to be installed is the ORACLE software. This needs to be done on the database machine (in the two SPARC configuration). The operator should follow the ORACLE installation procedure as outlined in Chapter 3 of the *ORACLE IUG* (Installation User Guide) [REF012]. The ORACLE software should be installed under the /home directory.

#### 3.2 Site PC Software

Insert the 3 1/4 inch PC dissemination disk labeled "GATEC PC 1 of 2" into the 3 1/4 inch drive. Run the program installGatec.exe. The program will prompt the user for the name of the directory to create that will hold the GATEC PC files. The default name is GATEC2. If that name is acceptable, simple hit carriage return at the prompt. At some point, the user will be asked to eject disk 1 and insert disk 2 to continue the install. The install program will also ask whether the installation is being done on the lead buyer's PC. Once the install is complete, a group (with the name of the directory containing the GATEC files) will be visible on the screen. For a regular buyer two icons will be visible, one known as setup, the other the GATEC client. For the Lead Buyer four icons will be visible, setup, the GATEC application, the lead buyer application, and the system parameters application.

Before the GATEC client can be run, the setup program must be executed to setup the PC com port with the proper settings. To execute setup double click the mouse on the icon. The settings should be:

Speed: 9600 Port: com2 Parity: None

Connection Type: By Network Server (typical)

Data bits: 8 Stop bits: 1

After these settings have been made, click on the SAVE button, then the DONE button. This information will be written out to a file named com.cfg file. When GATEC is operated via modem connection, the connection type should be changed to indicate "By Modem."

#### 3.3 Installing Buyers

Each buyer must have an account on the SPARC-10 machine before they can use their PC's to log onto the GATEC system. In the two SPARC configuration they must have an account on the database machine. The account name for a buyer must be their corresponding BCAS bsp. Refer to the *SunOs Reference Manual* [REF005] for details on installing new users.

Once the user's have been installed the /etc/passwd files must be

edited to change the default shell that the user's should execute. A typical line from the passwd file for buyer g1f might look like,

g1f:##g1f:1018:1000:Judy Redmon:/home/userdirs/gatec/g1f:/bin/sh

It should be modified to execute /home/gatec2/bin/serialserver.dui; i.e.,

g1f:##g1f:1018:1000:Judy Redmon:/home/userdirs/gatec/g1f:/home/gatec2/bin/serialserver.dui

#### 3.4 Configuring the Database

Before the GATEC application can be run, the usermanagerdefaults table in the database must be configured. Values can be placed in this table by using SQLPLUS. The parameters which must be specified are indicated below:

```
SITEADDRESS
                               (e.g. F33601)
ESTIMATEDPRICELIMIT
                               25000
LARGEBUSINESSPERCENT
                               Y
ONLINEDAYS
SENDTOPUBLIC
PURCHASEORDERACKDAY
                          120
AUTOACKHOURS
MAXIMUMPRIORITY
NOTIFICATIONADDRESS
                          gatecmgr@<machine_name>,<other names>
ACKNOWLEDGE840
                               Y
ACKNOWLEDGE850
ACKNOWLEDGE864
                               Y
USERSALLOWED
MESSAGEOFTHEDAY
                               (e.g. "Hello GATEC users")
ACTIVESTATUS
STATUSDATE
STATUSOPERATION
STATUSORIGINATOR
```

To deposit values n the table first start sqlplus:

```
sqlplus <login>/<login> <ret>
```

Recall your login name is determined when ORACLE is installed. sqlplus will respond with its prompt:

SQL>

The following commands will initialize the table:

```
update usermanagerdefaults set siteaddres = '<site_add>'; update usermanagerdefaults set estimatedpricelimit = 25000; update usermanagerdefaults set sendtopublic = 'Y'; update usermanagerdefaults set autoackhours = 120; update usermanagerdefaults set maximumpriority = 3; update usermanagerdefaults set notificationaddress = '<email adds>'; update usermanagerdefaults set acknowledge840 = 'Y'; update usermanagerdefaults set acknowledge850 = 'Y'; update usermanagerdefaults set acknowledge864 = 'Y'; update usermanagerdefaults set usersallowed = 'Y'; update usermanagerdefaults set messageoftheday = '<message>'; update usermanagerdefaults set activestatus = 1;
```

The siteaddress is the dodac code for the site.

autoackhours tells the system to check on acknowledgments a specified number of hours after the x12 document is issued. Acknowledgments of 840's, 850's, and 864's can be monitored.

maximum priority specifies the maximum priority of an RFQ which can be downloaded from BCAS.

notificationaddress is the email address to send no acknowledgment warnings

usersallowed can disable logins for all users.

Please consult the ORACLE *SQL\*Plus User's Guide and Reference* [REF013] manual for further details on sqlplus.

Next, the System Parameter application must be run to set the following parameters in the GATEC database,

GATEC Users (i.e. bsp codes corresponding to the user's installed, see Section 3.3)

Legal holidays for the current fiscal year.

Available GSA, and non-GSA award piin numbers.

Consult the *GATEC Lead Buyer's User's Guide* [REF014] for details on how to set these parameters.

In order to actually load the GATEC database with requisitions, two crons must be run from the /home/gatec2/bin directory. These

crons should be run under the gatecmgr account. The first cron to run is called getstmntship\_cron. This will down load shipping, accounting, and vendor information into the GATEC database. Once getstmntship\_cron has finished, the getopr\_bsp\_cron3 should be run. This will actually download RFQ information into the database. After getopr\_bsp\_cron3 finishes, a buyer could log onto the GATEC system (using their bsp name and chosen password) and access the RFQ's downloaded. In order to keep the GATEC database up to date, with RFQs which have been recently entered into BCAS, the getopr\_bsp\_cron3 script is run as a cron 3 times a day (morning, noon, evening). The cron tab file can be found in /usr/spool/cron/crontab on the Database Machine.

#### 3.5 Setting up Crons

The following scripts must be run as crons on the Database Machine (all files located in /home/gatec2/bin),

ck\_cron\_pl - Checks on overdue 850, 836, and 840 acknowledgments.

getopr\_bsp\_cron3 - Down load new solicitations from BCAS.

putuploads\_cron - Upload award information to BCAS.

upload\_bcas\_item\_desc\_cron - Upload item description change information to BCAS.

upload\_bcas\_cancel\_award\_cron - Upload award cancellation information to BCAS.

daily - Close RFQs in GATEC database which have been open for a specified duration.

remoldfiles\_cron - cleans old files out of the /home/gatec2/tmp directory.

A crontab in /usr/spool/crontabs named gatecmgr (automatically installed during installation) will run all these crons except for remoldfiles\_cron. That cron is run by the gatec2 cron (also installed).

Only two files on the Transport Machine must be run as a cron (both files located in /home/gatec2/bin),

time\_in - Cleans /home/gatec2/tmp directory.

newsyslog - This cron will update the mail archive file nightly and

move it to the /home/archive/archive directory.

The crontab in /usr/spool/crontabs named root will run both crons.

#### 3.6 Setting up Queues

Two types of queues are used by the GATEC system; UNIX printer queues and a public domain simple multi-user queuing system.

#### 3.6.1 Printer Queues

One printer queue must be established on the Database Machine. The queue is known as *outbound*. This queue will pass 840, 850, 864, and 836 CDF files to the Transport Machine. In order to set this queue up the /etc/printcap file must be modified to include the following lines:

# Outbound translations outbound|cdftox12to:\

:lp=:rm=gatec:rp=outbound:sd=/usr/spool/lpd/outbound:sh:sf:

A directory named outbound must also be created under /usr/spool/lpd.

Four printer queues must be established on the Transport Machine; *outbound*, *inbound*, *inbound*2, and *inbound*3. Each of the inbound queues can hold 1000 entries. *Inbound* overflow goes to *inbound*2, *inbound*2 overflow goes to *inbound*3. In order to set these queues up the /etc/printcap file on the Transport Machine must have the following lines added to it:

:sd=/usr/spool/lpd/inbound2:sh:sf #inbound backup incase we hit 1000 (sun limitation) inbound3|x12tocdf3:\

:lp=/home/gatec2/locks/inbound3:if=/home/gatec2/bin/inbound:\

:sd=/usr/spool/lpd/inbound3:sh:sf

# Outbound translations

outbound|cdftox12:\

 $: lp = /home/gatec2/locks/outbound: if = /home/gatec2/bin/outbound: \\ : sd = /usr/spool/lpd/outbound: \\ sh: sf$ 

Directories names outbound, inbound, inbound2, and inbound3 must be created under /usr/spool/lpd.

#### 3.6.2 Multi-User Queues

These queues are used for upload of award, item description, and cancel award information back to BCAS. Three queues need to be established. In order to establish these queues su to the gatec2 user and cd to the /home/bcas directory on the Database Machine. The following three commands must be executed:

qsetstatus bcasupload UP qsetstatus bcasitem UP qsetstatus bcascancel UP

#### 3.7 Installing WANG Command Procedures

GATEC makes use of three (LLNL developed) WANG command procedures; namely, cpbcas, cpopr, cpitstk. These procedures are remotely executed through gateway procedures and help to accomplish download of BCAS OPR, accounting, vendor, shipping, item and nomenclature information to the SPARC. See Section 4.2.1 for further details. These files are on the 3 1/4 inch SPARC distribution disk labeled "GATEC WANG Procedures." They must be installed at vol333.g2wrpt on the WANG. To do this insert, the 3 1/4 inch disk into the SPARC drive and copy the files to /tmp. Once this is done, simply FTP the files to the vol333.g2wrpt location on the WANG.

#### 3.8 Miscellaneous

The serialserver.dui file in the /home/gatec2/bin directory will need to have one line modified. This will specify the logical line printer

name of the printer the GATEC application will have access to. Recall the serialserver.dui file sets up the appropriate shell environment for the GATEC user. The line to change is shown below,

# set printer string setenv GATEC PRINT STRING "/usr/ucb/lpr -Plp"

The printer name is specified after the -P option. In this example the printer name was "lp."

Next, the /etc/.authlist file must be modified with the correct logins and passwords that the BCASrunproc, BCASupload, BCASitemupload, and BCAScancelaward gateway scripts will use to log onto the BCAS system. Consult the *ASCENT Gateway Programmer's Guide* for further details [REF009] on modification of the gateway .authlist file. This will have to be done under superuser authority.

Finally, a user named gatecmgr needs to be installed on both SPARC-10 machines. A user named archive needs to be installed on the transport machine (in the two SPARC-10 configuration).

After this is completed, the GATEC buyers may log in using their PCs. The login name and password the GATEC application queries for on start up, is the login name and password set up in Section 3.3. Consult the *GATEC Buyer User's Guide* [REF0015] for details on using the GATEC system.

#### **SECTION 4** Operations

This section provides the System Operator with the information required to successfully operate the GATEC system.

The key elements of the GATEC system are shown in the following foldout. These elements are discussed in this section.

#### 4.1 Introduction

The version 2 series GATEC application is designed to interface to a legacy procurement system and provide an environment that will allow buyers to engage in electronic commerce. Very simply the system facilitates the following activities:

- Access to legacy system's purchase requests
- Generation of RFQ and translation into a standard X12 (840) interchange
- The sending of the interchange data to a hub (where it is then distributed to VANs and subsequently vendors)
- The receiving of X12 (843) quotes and 864 text messages
- The generation of X12 (850) awards and X12 (836) award summaries
- The sending of the 850 and 836 interchanges to the hub
- The upload of award information back to the legacy system.

The system is comprised of five elements: interface to legacy system, (GATEC) user interface, (GATEC) database, inbound and outbound transport. Hub operations are also described.

#### 4.2 Interface to Legacy System

One of the key components of the GATEC software is the interface with the legacy system. The interface to the legacy system comprises download of BCAS requisition information, download of BCAS shipping, accounting, and vendor information, upload of award information, upload of item description change information, and upload of award cancellation information.

#### 4.2.1 Downloading Data from BCAS to Site Hub

Two UNIX cron scripts initiate the extraction of the BCAS data. The first script known as getstmnship cron (located in /home/gatec2/bin on the Database Machine), extracts statement, shipping, accounting, vendor address and accounting information. Each category of information is placed in its own file. In order to gain access to this information, getstmnship cron, makes use of another script named getwangfiles (also located /home/gatec2/bin on the Database Machine). getwangfiles makes use of a special GATEC utility known as cpbcas (located at vol333.g2wrpt on the WANG, WANG files are referenced by volume, library, filename). cpbcas actually runs on the WANG. It converts WANG index format files into consecutive format files so they may be copied to a UNIX system via FTP. A gateway script is actually needed to remotely execute cpbcas. This script is referenced in *getwangfiles* and is named *BCASrunproc*. It too is located in /home/gatec2/bin on the Database Machine. After cpbcas accomplishes the conversion, getwangfiles uses a (Perl) script named downloadch (located at /home/gatec2/bin on the Database Machine) to FTP (i.e. move) files from the WANG to the /home/bcas directory. Referencing the files with their native WANG names would be awkward; thus, after FTP the getstmnship cron script converts their names to stmnt, ship, acctg, vadrs.

Next, <code>getstmnship\_cron</code> tries to places the contents of these files into database tables. The sql files defining the statement, shipping, accounting, and vendor address data are named Stmnt.sql, Ship.sql and Acctg.sql and Vadrs.sql respectively. These sql files are located at /home/gatec2/lib/sql on the Database Machine. In order to actually load the data into the created tables, four more command files are used; namely, Ship.ctl, Stmnt.ctl, Vadrs.ctl, and Acctg.ctl. These files are located at /home/gatec2/lib/ctl on the Database Machine.

The <code>getstmntship\_cron</code> must be run before the second cron job, <code>getopr\_bsp\_cron3</code> is run. Actually <code>getstmntship\_cron</code> really isn't run as a cron job at all-----although it could be one. Instead, it is executed when necessary by the system manager. This is because the contents of the tables it establishes do not change very much. An example of when <code>getstmntship\_cron</code> would have to be run (after it had been run initially) might be if an existing vendor changed an address or if a new vendor had been added.

The second chron job <code>getopr\_bsp\_cron3</code> (located at /home/gatec2/bin on the Database Machine), attempts to download open purchase requisitions from the BCAS system. It is run three times a day. When a requisition is placed into BCAS, the system assigns it to a buyer by a three character code known as BSP (for Branch, Section, Person) based on the stock class of the items in the requisition. A convention has been established that electronic buys will always have a branch code of G. Thus, only requisitions that have a BSP that begins with G will be downloaded into the GATEC database. There are also other criteria which may be used for download; namely, cost of item (items above \$25,000 need to be handled in another manner), priority of item (items that have a priority of 1 or 2 need to be handled in another manner). Also an item should not be downloaded if it already exists in the GATEC database.

getopr\_bsp\_cron3 attempts to capture the entire OPR file on the WANG. To accomplish this getwangfiles is used again. However, this time it will run another utility known as cpopr (located at vol333.g2wrpt on the WANG). cpopr (like cpbcas) actually runs on the WANG. It converts WANG index format files into consecutive format files so they may be copied to a UNIX system via FTP. The same gateway script (BCASrunproc) is used to remotely execute *cpopr*. After *cpopr* accomplishes the conversion, getwangfiles (via the download script) uses FTP to move the file to the /home/bcas directory. As mentioned above, the file will have a very long name due to the WANG directory naming standard. Its name will be changed to OPR\_ALL.dat. Next, the contents of the OPR\_ALL.dat file will be placed in the table described by PreOpr.sql. PreOpr.sql is located in /home/gatec2/lib/sql on the database machine. The table is loaded with the sqlldr command using the file PreOpr.ctl as input (located in /home/gatec2/lib/ctl on the Database Machine). The table is loaded with entries that meet the criteria mentioned above.

Next a list of stock numbers is generated from the PreOpr table. Up to fourteen of these stock numbers will be passed to the Wang procedure *cpitstk* (via getwangfiles) to obtain the item and nomenclature files for the stock numbers. Once FTP'd, the file names are changed to ITEM\_ALL.dat, and NOME\_ALL.dat.

After the name changes, the content of ITEM\_ALL.dat and NOME\_ALL.dat are placed in database tables. Both these sql files are located in /home/gatec2/lib/sql on the database machine. After the tables are loaded via the Item.ctl, and Nomenclature.ctl (both located in /home/gatec2/lib/ctl on the Database Machine), the readopr2 program is called to place the opr, item, and nomenclature information into the GATEC database. The readopr binary is located at /home/gatec2/bin on the Database Machine. Basically, an opr entry is examined, and the stocknumber is used as an index into the item and nomenclature tables; this data, along with the opr data is then placed into he Oracle database.

After *readopr2* finishes, *getopr\_bsp\_cron3*, repeats the above process for the next fourteen stock numbers, until all the item and nomenclature information has been obtained for the stock numbers in the PreOpr table

readopr2 actually deposits data into several Oracle tables; specifically,

#### Acquisition

- 1) PurchaseReqNumberCol loaded with RequisitionNumber
- 2) AssignedBuyerCol loaded with BuyerCode
- 3) SiteIDCol loaded with the site id

#### Document

- 1) ReviewStatusCol loaded with "UI"
- 2) DocumentTypeCol loaded with "840"

#### Item LineItem

- 1) FedStockClassCol loaded with StockNumber
- 2) QuantityCol loaded with Quantity
- 3) DocumentTypeCol loaded with "840"

#### Part

- 1) PartIdentifierCol set to "FS" (for Federal Stock Number) if the 4th and 5th digit is between 0 and 9. otherwise set to "SW."
- 2) PartNumberCol loaded with StockNumber
- 3) PartIdentifierCol loaded with "MG"

#### RegForQuote

- 1) DeliveredByDateCol loaded with RequiredDeliveryDate
- 2) AmendedCol loaded with "N"

- 3) PurchaseReqNumberCol loaded with RequisitionNumber Commented out
- 4) QuoteReceivedByDateCol loaded with RequisitionReturnDate

#### RequestForQuoteLineItem

- 1) ItemDescription01Col to ItemDescription06Col loaded with data from item table; specifically Nomenclature01Col to Nomenclature06Col.
- 2) ItemDescription07Col to ItemDescription48Col loaded with data from nomenclature table; specifically Nomenclature07Col to Nomenclature48.
- 3) PurchaseReqNumberCol loaded with RequisitionNumber
- 4) FedStockClassCol loaded with Stock Number
- 5) QuantityCol loaded with Quantity
- 6) PartListIncludedCol loaded with "Y"
- 7) UnitPriceCol loaded with (EstimatedPrice/10000.0)
- 8) For values of SignalCode:

#### Α

SolicitationLineItem ShipToSRANCol loaded with RequisitionNumber SolicitationLineItem BillToSRANCol loaded with RequisitionNumber

В

SolicitationLineItem ShipToSRANCol loaded with RequisitionNumber SolicitationLineItem BillToSRANCol loaded with SupplementalAddress

 $\mathbf{C}$ 

SolicitationLineItem ShipToSRANCol loaded with SupplementalAddress SolicitationLineItem BillToSRANCol loaded with blank

D

SolicitationLineItem ShipToSRANCol loaded with RequisitionNumber SolicitationLineItem BillToSRANCol loaded with blank

J

SolicitationLineItem ShipToSRANCol loaded with SupplementalAddress SolicitationLineItem BillToSRANCol loaded with RequisitionNumber

K

SolicitationLineItem ShipToSRANCol loaded with SupplementalAddress SolicitationLineItem BillToSRANCol loaded with SupplementalAddress

L

SolicitationLineItem ShipToSRANCol loaded with SupplementalAddress SolicitationLineItem BillToSRANCol loaded with blank

M

SolicitationLineItem ShipToSRANCol loaded with SupplementalAddress SolicitationLineItem BillToSRANCol loaded with blank

9) ShipToZIPCol loaded with OrgZipCol from shipping table if...

#### SolicitationLineItem

- 1) SolicitationNumberCol loaded with SolicitationNumber
- 2) LineItemCol loaded with LineItem (number)
- 3) FundCodeCol load with FundCode
- 4) ProjectTitleCol loaded with ProjectTitle (code)
- 5) SignalCodeCol loaded with SignalCode
- 6) SupplementalAddressCol loaded with SupplementalAddress
- 7) PriorityCol loaded with Priority

#### 4.2.2 Uploading Award Data from Site Hub to BCAS

Each day a cron script named *daily* (located in /home/gatec2/bin on the Database Machine) is executed. It will change the state of an open RFQ to closed if a system specified number of days have elapsed between the RFQ's issuance and the present day the *daily* script is running. If after viewing the bids on an RFQ, the buyer decides to award, the GATEC application generates a CDF (common data format, i.e. an ASCII flat file) file which can be used to generate an X12 850 (award). The output CDF filename is then placed on a beasupload queue. Making an award also causes the generation of two other CDF files; specifically, a CDF which contains data needed to produce and X12 836 award summary document and a CDF which contains data needed by the BCAS system to award a requisition.

The cron script <code>putuploads\_cron</code> (located in /home/gatec2/bin on the Database Machine) uses many other scripts to update the BCAS database when a requisition is awarded. After checking to make sure that another copy of <code>putuploads\_cron</code> is not running, <code>putuploads\_cron</code> makes use of program <code>qstatus</code> (binary located /home/gatec2/bin on the Database Machine) to make sure the BCAS upload queue is up. Each item on the queue contains three filenames. The first is the name of the CDF (Common Data Format) file that contains award information which must be uploaded to the BCAS system. The second name is the CDF file that contains sufficient information to generate an X12 850 document. The third name is the CDF file that contains sufficient information to generate an X12 836 document. These two files are passed to the <code>outbound</code> process on the Transport Machine only if the BCAS award process is successful.

After the queue status verification, a loop is entered where items are taken off the queue. The loop is exited when queue is empty. The program *qpop* (binary located /home/gatec2/bin on the Database Machine) is used to remove items from the queue. After checking to make sure the file exists on the file system, the file that is to be uploaded is processed by the *seluploadcdf* (located at /home/gatec2/bin on the Database Machine) Perl script. seluploadcdf, selects key fields from the CDF file and places them in a temporary file. It is then processed by another script, cdf\_check (located at /home/gatec2/bin on the Database Machine). cdf check does what its name implies; specifically, it verifies that the data in the file is in the correct format that BCAS expects. It first reads in a file named cdf\_regexp, located at /home/gatec2/etc on the Database Machine. This file contains the definitive list of regular expressions for CDF files. In other words it specifies all the parameters that should be specified in the CDF file and grammatically defines (e.g. a date is comprised of two digits, three alphanumeric characters and two more digits, etc) their content.

If the CDF check is successful, a gateway script known as BCASupload (located at /home/gatec2/bin on the Database Machine) is run. BCASupload logs onto BCAS over TCP and navigates its menus to get to the "priced purchase order award" form. It then fills out the screen based on the data in the BCAS upload CDF file.

If the upload of the information was successful, the 850 CDF file is placed on a printer queue known as "outbound", (via lpr -Poutbound <filename>). where is will be subsequently processed by the *outbound* script on the Transport Machine. The 836 CDF is also sent to outbound, but only after the 850. This is further described in Section 4.4 (transport section.)

If error conditions should occur during the execution of *putuploads\_cron*, two scripts are used to facilitate reporting. The first script *errtomgr* (located at /home/gatec2/bin on the Database Machine) places all error messages in a mail file and sends the mail to the GATEC manager. The second script *errtouser* (located at /home/gatec2/bin on the Database Machine), tries to send an the error message to the buyer associated with the transaction.

#### 4.2.3 Uploading Item Description Data from Site Hub to BCAS

Any item description, part number, and manufacturer information that is modified by a buyer before issuing an RFQ is uploaded back to BCAS via the Bourne Shell script upload bcas item desc cron (located at /home/gatec2/bin on the Database Machine). When an RFQ is issued, the GATEC application writes a CDF file containing the modified item, part, and manufacture data and places the CDF filename on the bcasitem queue. upload\_bcas\_item\_desc\_cron takes item upload CDF filenames off this queue (using the *qpop* utility), insures the data in them is correct (using selitemcdf and cdf\_check), then passes the filename to the gateway script BCASitemupload (located /home/gatec2/bin on the Database Machine). BCASitemupload navigates BCAS menus to arrive at the ITEM RECORD screen. Next, it places the item, manufacturer, and part number data into the appropriate positions on the screen, then commits the changes. Errors are reported to standard output, are noted by upload\_bcas\_item\_desc\_cron, then mailed to the gatecmgr. Error messages are mailed with the errtomgr and itemerrtouser (located at /home/gbatec2/bin on the Database Machine) Bourne Shell scripts.

#### 4.2.4 Uploading Award Cancellation Data from Site Hub to BCAS

Any time a purchase order is canceled by a buyer using the GATEC application, the cancellation information is uploaded back to BCAS via the Bourne Shell script upload\_bcas\_cancel\_award\_cron (located at /home/gatec2/bin on the Database Machine). When award cancellation is committed by a buyer, the GATEC application writes a CDF file containing the cancellation details (obtained from the cancellation screen) and places that file on the bcascancel queue. An 850 and 836 CDF are also generated and their names are placed on the bcascancel queue at this time. upload\_bcas\_cancel\_award\_cron takes the cancel CDF filenames off this queue (using the qpop utility), insures the

data in them is correct (using *selicancelcdf* and *cdf\_check*), then passes the filename to the gateway script *BCASicancelaward* (located at /home/gatec2/bin on the Database Machine). *BCAScancelaward* navigates BCAS menus to arrive at the MODIFICATION ACTION screen. Next, it places the cancel details onto this screen as well as the MODIFICATION RESULT, and NARRATIVE screens. If the cancellation information was successfully uploaded to BCAS, the 850 CDF file is placed on a printer queue known as "outbound", (via lpr -Poutbound <filename>). where is will be subsequently processed by the *outbound* script on the Transport Machine. This is further described in Section 4.4 (transport section.). Note that only one parameter in BEG segment of the 850 need be modified to change an 850 into an "850 cancellation." The 836 CDF is not used in this application.

Errors are reported to standard output, are noted by *upload\_bcas\_cancel\_award\_cron*, then mailed to the gatecmgr. Error messages are mailed with the *errtomgr* and *icancellerrtouser* (located at /home/gbatec2/bin on the Database Machine) Bourne Shell scripts.

#### 4.3 User Interface

In order for a buyer to make use of the GATEC system, a PC (client) interface has been designed which communicates with the GATEC (server) application running on the SPARC platform. The PC interface runs under Microsoft Windows using the Boreland Object Windows Library (OWL [REF]). The PC interface is generic in the sense that it is not GATEC application dependent. It simply knows how to display communication objects which are passed to it from the server. These communication objects present data as well as provide a mechanism for data entry. The primary communication objects are widgets which contains views that can be comprised of forms, dialogs, labels, fields, text, toggle switches, selections, etc. Since both the client and application understand the communication objects, the client never need be recompiled when display objects are changed in the application (server). The physical layout of the communication objects on the PC screen is controlled via a text input file which is read by the client at start up.

#### 4.4 Transport

Transport comprises managing the disbursement of X12 840 requisitions, X12 864 text messages, X12 997 acknowledgments, X12 850 awards, X12 836 award summaries, and X12 824 application advice to the Hub, as well as managing receipt of X12 843 bids, X12 864 text messages and X12 997 acknowledgments.

#### 4.4.1 Processing Outbound Traffic

When a user issues a request for quote, a common database format file is produced by the GATEC application. After producing the CDF, the file is placed on the outbound queue (lpr -Poutbound).

The script *outbound* (located at /home/gatec2/bin on the Transport Machine), operates on the 840, 850, and 836 CDFs. Whenever, an item is placed on the outbound queue, this script is invoked. The script first removes all asterisk characters from the CDF. It then attempts to identify the purpose of the CDF by looking at the "%purpose" field in the CDF file. If the CDF is an 840, the translator engine (TE, located in /home/gatec2/bin on the Transport Machine) is run on the incoming CDF with the files located in /home/gatec2/lib/gst/2.0cdfto840 on the Transport Machine. If the CDF is an 850, the translator files used are located in the directory /home/gatec2/lib/gst/2.0cdfto850 on the Transport Machine. If the CDF is an 836, the translations in /home/gatec2/lib/gst/2.0cdfto836 are used to generate an 836 (award summary). It should be noted that the translator also places a SMTP envelope around the X12 message so that the generated file may be immediately shelled out by the *outbound* script. The "From:" field will contain "gatec," the "To:" will read "<@ec099.llnl.gov:public@ec099.llnl.gov>" for 840's and 836's and "<@ec099.llnl.gov:<vendor address>" for 850's, 824's and 864's. The "Subject;" field will contain the GATEC convention: subject:UTN. Where the UTN contains the site id, requisition number, and line item number and subject is 840, 850, \$36, 824, 864 or 997. All mail messages sent out from the site are also copied to the mail archive (located at /usr/spool/mail/archive on the Transport Machine).

#### 4.4.2 Processing Inbound Traffic

Inbound processing is accomplished with the script named *inbound* (located at /home/gatec/bin on the Transport Machine). It is activated by sendmail when a message is placed on the inbound queue (It essentially cats the message to lpr -Pinbound). The message is first placed in a temporary file. Next, an attempt is made to extract a return address if a 997 (an acknowledgment receipt for the incoming x12 transaction) needs to be produced. Checks are then made to insure the message has an ISA delimiter

and valid X12. If the X12 message is not an 838, the UTN is grabbed from the subject and an x12 to 997 translation is invoked (x12 to 997 translator tables located at /home/gatec2/lib/gst/x12to997.3010 on the Transport Machine) The translation is accomplished with the translator engine. If the 997 is successfully produced, it is immediately mailed back to the hub. A copy is also sent to the archive (a copy of the original mail message is also mailed to the archive).

The next operation *inbound* performs is a translation of the incoming transaction into a common data format. This is accomplished with the translation tables located at /home/gatec2/lib/gst/2.0alltocdf on the transport machine. After the translation to the CDF, one of the following programs will be called (located in /home/gatec2/bin on the Transport Machine) depending upon what type of X12 interchange was just translated:

843CDFtoDB - loads a response to a request for quote into the database. The following tables may be updated: Document, Item, PaperworkType, LineItem, Quote, QuoteLineItem, Quoteterms and Part.

864CDFtoDB - loads a text message associated with an RFQ number into the database. The following tables may be updated: Acquisition, Document, MessageFrom, MessageText, MessageTo, MessageReference, Vendor.

824CDFtoDB - loads an application acknowledgment into the database.

838CDFtoDB- loads vendor registration into the database. The following tables may be updated: InterchangeControlHdr, FunctionalGroupHdr, Vendor. The mandatory items which must be specified in the CDF file are:

In general all programs operate in the same manner. First they connect to the database (via sqlnet), then they instantiate all necessary table objects (tables mentioned above). After insuring that the mandatory items have been specified in the CDF file, the data is placed into the appropriate tables. If the database is down, the cdfretry script will retry the database insertion until success is achieved.

#### 4.5 Hub Operations

Hub operations involve forwarding messages received from a site to the appropriate VAN(s). Messages received from the VANs must also be properly forwarded to the correct site.

#### 4.5.1 Mail from VAN(s)

When a mail message is received *sendmail* will cat the message to a C program known as *hubrbs* (located on the hub at ~hubmgr/bin). If the program is able to detect a correct subject line and the vendor email address; the correct forwarding site id is pulled off the subject line and the message is forwarded to the site. If there are problems with the subject line; the message is placed on the hub printer queue, this will invoke the *hubmgr* script which makes the current directory ~hubmgr/hubmgr. The translator engine is then run to attempt to extract out a UTN. If one can be reconstructed, the message is forwarded to the appropriate site. If a UTN cannot be discerned, a mail message is sent to the VAN point of contact informing them of the problem. All messages received and or generated during this process are archived.

#### 4.5.2 Mail from Site

When a mail message is received that is addressed to public (typically an 840, or an 836), a shell script named *fanout* (located at ~hubmgr/bin on the hub) is invoked which reads in the address file located at ~hubmgr named public. This contains all the VAN email addresses. The original X12 message is encapsulated into an SMTP envelope for each VAN, then sent out. Each VAN message is archived. Note that nothing need be done with the ISA which is in the X12 message that is received by the hub. The VAN will handle it as long as it says "PUBLIC" in the ISA.

When a message is received that is addressed to a specific vendor at a van; *sendmail* will take care of the forwarding. This is relatively straightforward since the form of the message "To:" statement will be

To: gatec@hub:vendor@van

*sendmail* just removes everything up to an including the colon. Before sending the message out; it is also archived.

#### 4.5.3 Registration

To register for electronic commerce, a vendor sends an 838 to registrar@hub. sendmail will cat this message to a script known as

venglue (located at ~hubmgr/bin on the hub). The first thing it will do is construct a return 997, insure the format is correct, then send the 997 to the vendor. Next, the current directory is changed to ~hubmgr/838to824, where the translator engine is executed on the 838 message. If errors are detected, an 824 message is generated, then *venglue* places a SMTP envelope around it and sends it out. If the 838 had no errors, an email message is sent to the site indicating a new vendor is registering. The 838 is then mailed to the other hub machine and put on a queue that the venglue2 (~hubmgr/bin) script has access to. venglue2 runs the C program known as venreg that runs a translation of the 838 to create a temporary CDF file. This file is checked for semantics; and if okay, a temporary cage code for the vendor (if needed) is created and a government password is assigned. This information (via another translation) is placed in an 838C. venglue2, then mails the translated file back to the SPARC hub for processing by the venglue3 program. This will place the 838C into an SMTP envelope for mailing to the site and back to the vendor. The registration information is also placed in a Unify database on the hub. All messages received and or generated during this process are archived.

#### 4.6 Database Operations

There are certain "manual" activities which may become necessary for the GATEC operator to perform in order to keep the system "smoothly" running. Nominally, these activities will address certain error situations which cannot be automatically handled by the GATEC system. Typically an operator is informed of errors with either a phone call from a buyer or VAN, or by reading the gatecmgr mail. With the aid of specialized support software, these errors are quite straightforward and easy to correct. However, before they are discussed, a brief overview of the GATEC database schema will be presented. The information presented is the minimum knowledge required to understand operations that might have to be performed manually be the GATEC operator.

#### 4.6.1 Understanding the Database Schema

There are mant tables which comprise the heart of the GATEC database. The entire schema is explained in the Database section of the *GATEC Internal Software Description Document*. [REF016]. Every GATEC table will not be discussed in this section. Instead only the very key ones will be described.

Before discussing table content it should be noted that all GATEC tables always have four columns; namely,

ACTIVESTATUS 1 - current; all other old STATUSDATE Date/time update took place

STATUSOPERATION Operation code (not key to understand) STATUSORIGINATOR login id of person making change

These serve as a mechanism for keeping track of old information without having to delete anything from the GATEC database. Current information always has an ACTIVESTATUS of 1. All other values of active status imply "old" data. Keeping this old data around is very useful in debugging situations.

The data in the following tables are derived from the following BCAS parameters which are obtained from the FTP'd BCAS OPR, Item, and Nomenclature files (see Section 4). Some data are also created from buyer interaction.

Solicitation Number (e.g. 94T1234) Line Item (e.g. 0001) Buyer Code (BSP) (e.g. G1G)

Requisition Number (i.e. Purchase Request Number) (e.g. FE230032732376)

Unit of Issue (e.g. EA)

Stock Number

Quantity (e.g. 1)

Required Delivery Date (e.g. 01 DEC 93)
Estimated Price (e.g. \$1.09)

Fund Code Project Title Project Code Signal Code

Supplemental Address

Priority (e.g. 4)

Item description Manufacturer Stock number

Throughout the discussion of tables the following identifiers will be used to note data origin.

Column name prefaced with "\* " = Obtained from BCAS OPR table Column name prefaced with "\*\*" = Obtained from BCAS Item table Column name prefaced with "\*\*\*" = Obtained from BCAS Nomenclature table

**Document Table** - Defines X12 documents which are in the GATEC database. Typically indexed on UTNNUMBER.

DOCUMENTID key to index other tables mentioned below

\*UTNNUMBER (e.g. F3360194T3294001)

TRANSACTIONNUMBER Not used

DOCUMENTTYPE { 824 | 836 | 840 | 843 | 850 | 864 }

DOCUMENTVERSION
X12REFERENCENUMBER
EFFECTIVEDATE
EXPIRATIONDATE
DOCUMENTSTATUS
Not used

ACTIVESTATUS STATUSDATE

STATUSOPERATION STATUSORIGINATOR

#### NOTES:

824 - application advice

836 - award summary

840 - RFQ 843 - bid

850 - award

864 - message

**Acquisition table** - Defines RFQ's downloaded from BCAS. Typically indexed on UTNNUMBER.

\*RFQNUMBER (e.g. 94T1234) \*SOLICITATIONNUMBER (e.g. 94T1234) SITEID (e.g. F33601)

\*UTNNUMBER (e.g. F3360194T3294001)

DPASPRIORITY Not used INTERNALORDERNUMBER Not used

\*PURCHASEREQNUMBER (requisition # e.g. FE230032732376)

\*ASSIGNEDBUYER (the BSP, e.g. G1G)

**HOLDSTATUS** 

**HOLDPERIOD** 

REVIEWSTATUS { UI | UH | OP | CL | CH | AW | CA }

PRIORITY 3 and above

ACTIVESTATUS STATUSDATE

STATUSOPERATION STATUSORIGINATOR

**Solicitationlineitem -** Typically indexed on SOLICITATIONNUMBER and LINEITEM number.

\*SOLICITATIONNUMBER (e.g. 94T1234) \*LINEITEM (e.g. 0001) \*FUNDCODE (e.g. 6C) \*PROJECTTITLE Usually not used \*PROJECTCODE Usually not used

\*SIGNALCODE (e.g. A)

SUPPLEMENTALADDRESS (e.g. YBZ162) BRANDNAMEORSOLESOURC Usually not used

PRIORITY (e.g. 9)
\*SHIPTOSRAN (e.g. FE2300)
\*BILLTOSRAN (e.g. FE2300)

ACTIVESTATUS STATUSDATE

STATUSOPERATION STATUSORIGINATOR

**lineitem** - Typically indexed on DOCUMENTID obtained from document table, where the DOCUMENTTYPE = 840.

**DOCUMENTID** 

\*ITEMNUMBER (e.g. 0001, i.e. line item number)

DOCUMENTTYPE (e.g. 840)
UNITOFMEASURE (e.g. EA)
\*FEDSTOCKCLASS (e.g. 7195)
STDINDUSTRIALCLASS Not used
SRANCODE Not used
\*QUANTITY (e.g. 5)
STATUS Not used

ACTIVESTATUS STATUSDATE

STATUSOPERATION STATUSORIGINATOR

**part** - Typically indexed on DOCUMENTID obtained from document table, where the DOCUMENTTYPE = 840.

**DOCUMENTID** 

\*ITEMNUMBER (e.g. 0001)

PARTIDENTIFIER

\*\*PARTNUMBER \*\*MANUFACTURER (e.g. MG C5200) (e.g. GLOBAL)

ITEMDESCRIPTION Not used SERVICEDESCRIPTION Not used

ACTIVESTATUS STATUSDATE

STATUSOPERATION STATUSORIGINATOR

**reqforquote** - Typically indexed on DOCUMENTID obtained from document table, where the DOCUMENTTYPE = 840.

DOCUMENTID
DPASPRIORITY
INTERNALORDERNUMBER
\*SOLICITATIONNUMBER
\*PURCHASEREQNUMBER
QUOTERECEIVEDBYDATE
QUOTERECEIVEDBYTIME
DELIVEREDBYDATE
SMALLBUSINESSORPURCH
SENTTOPUBLIC

(e.g. 93T1234)
(e.g. FE230032732376)
Not used
Not used
Not used
Not used
Not used
Not used
Vot used
Not used
Vot used
Vot used
Vot used
Vot used

Not used

Not used

**reqforquotelineitem**. Typically indexed on DOCUMENTID obtained from document table, where the DOCUMENTTYPE = 840.

DOCUMENTID

**AMENDED** 

ACTIVESTATUS STATUSDATE

STATUSOPERATION STATUSORIGINATOR

\*ITEMNUMBER

\*PURCHASEREQNUMBER

REQUESTFORQUOTEDESC

\*\*ITEMDESCRIPTION01

\*\*ITEMDESCRIPTION02

\*\*ITEMDESCRIPTION03

\*\*ITEMDESCRIPTION04

\*\*ITEMDESCRIPTION05

\*\*ITEMDESCRIPTION06

\*\*\*ITEMDESCRIPTION07

\*\*\*ITEMDESCRIPTION08

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***ITEMDESCRIPTION45
***ITEMDESCRIPTION46
***ITEMDESCRIPTION47
***ITEMDESCRIPTION48
*QUANTITY
                                  (e.g. 5)
*UNITOFMEASURE
                                  (e.g. EA)
*UNITPRICE
                                  (e.g 5.90)
UNITPRICEBASIS
                                  Not used
*FEDSTOCKCLASS
                                  (e.g. 7150)
STDINDUSTRIALCLASS
                                 Not used
PARTLISTINCLUDED
                                  (e.g Y)
FSCSUFFIX
                                 (e.g. 24)
SHIPTOZIP
                                  (e.g. 454335000)
ACTIVESTATUS
STATUSDATE
STATUSOPERATION
```

## **solicitationlineitemerror**. Typically indexed on solicitationnumber and lineitem.

| *SOLICITATIONNUMBER *LINEITEM TEXTID SUBJECT ERRORDATE MESSAGEREAD ACTIVESTATUS STATUSDATE STATUSOPERATION STATUSORIGINATOR | (e.g 93T1234) (e.g. 0001) pointer to text table (e.g. Upload BCAS error) (e.g. 03-DEC-93) (e.g. { Y or blank } |
|---|--|
|---|--|

text. Typically indexed on textid.

**STATUSORIGINATOR** 

**TEXTID** 

LINEINDEX (e.g. 0,1..)

BODY one line of message

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Two tables (in addition to the document table) are used to keep track of received quote information:

**quote**. Typically indexed on DOCUMENTID obtained from document table, where the DOCUMENTTYPE = 843.

DOCUMENTID
VENDORID (pointer)

VENDORID (pointer into vendor table) RFQREFNUMBER (e.g. F3360194T3294001)

RFQEFFECTIVEDATE (e.g. 12-NOV-93)

QUOTEEFFECTIVEDATE Not used QUOTEEXPIREDATE Not used QUOTETYPE Not used

PRICEQUOTEREFNUMBER (e.g. F3360194T3294001)

NOTESATTACHED (Y or blank) CURRENCYCODE Not used **EXCHANGERATE** Not used Not used RATEEFFECTIVE RATEEXPIRES Not used CONTRACTREFNUMBER Not used CONTRACTDESCRIPTION Not used CONTRACTEXPIREDATE Not used **ISSMALLBUSINESS**  $\{Y \mid N\}$ FEDSUPPLYSCHEDNUMBER Not used **FEDSUPPLYSCHEDDATE** Not used

SELLERNAME (e.g. SUPPLIES INCORPORATED)

SELLERCAGECODE Not used

SELLERADDRESS (e.g. P.O. BOX 123)

Not used SELLERADDRESS2 **SELLERCITY** (e.g. Dallas) **SELLERSTATE** (e.g. CA) (e.g. 95458) SELLERZIPCODE Not used SELLERCOUNTRY **OUOTERNAME** Not used **OUOTERCAGECODE** Not used QUOTERADDRESS Not used QUOTERCITY Not used **OUOTERSTATE** Not used QUOTERZIPCODE Not used **OUOTERCOUNTRY** Not used **ELECTRONIC** Not used **FROMFPI** Not used **FROMREOTSCONTRACT** Not used FIRSTCONTACTID Not used

SECONDCONTACTID
THIRDCONTACTID
Not used
QUOTEDESCRIPTION
ACTIVESTATUS
STATUSDATE
STATUSOPERATION
STATUSORIGINATOR

**quotelineitem**. Typically indexed on DOCUMENTID obtained from document table, where the DOCUMENTTYPE = 843.

**DOCUMENTID ITEMNUMBER** (e.g. 0001) **ISFEDERALSUPPLYSCHED** Not used CONTRACTREFNUMBER Not used CONTRACTDESCRIPTION Not used CONTRACTEXPIREDATE Not used REFERENCENUMBER (e.g. F3360194T3294001) REFERENCEDESCRIPTION Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION01 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION02 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION03 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION04 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION05 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION06 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION07 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION08 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION09 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION10 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION11 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION12 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION13 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION14 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION15 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION16 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION17 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION18 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION19 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION20 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION21 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION22 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION23 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION24 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION25 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION26 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION27 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION28 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION29 Not used ITEMDESCRIPTION30 Not used

| ITEMDESCRIPTION31  | Not used     |
|--------------------|--------------|
| ITEMDESCRIPTION32  | Not used     |
| ITEMDESCRIPTION33  | Not used     |
| ITEMDESCRIPTION34  | Not used     |
| ITEMDESCRIPTION35  | Not used     |
| ITEMDESCRIPTION36  | Not used     |
| ITEMDESCRIPTION37  | Not used     |
| ITEMDESCRIPTION38  | Not used     |
| ITEMDESCRIPTION39  | Not used     |
| ITEMDESCRIPTION40  | Not used     |
| ITEMDESCRIPTION41  | Not used     |
| ITEMDESCRIPTION42  | Not used     |
| ITEMDESCRIPTION43  | Not used     |
| ITEMDESCRIPTION44  | Not used     |
| ITEMDESCRIPTION45  | Not used     |
| ITEMDESCRIPTION46  | Not used     |
| ITEMDESCRIPTION47  | Not used     |
| ITEMDESCRIPTION48  | Not used     |
| DELIVERYDATE       | Not used     |
| QUANTITY           | (e.g. 4)     |
| UNITOFMEASURE      | (e.g. EA)    |
| UNITPRICE          | (e.g. 40.00) |
| UNITPRICEBASIS     | Not used     |
| FEDSTOCKCLASS      | Not used     |
| STDINDUSTRIALCLASS | Not used     |
| PARTLISTINCLUDED   | Not used     |
| VARIATIONPERCENT   | Not used     |
| ISWINNER           | (Y or blank) |
| ACTIVESTATUS       |              |
| STATUSDATE         |              |
| STATUSOPERATION    |              |
| STATUSORIGINATOR   |              |
|                    |              |

 ${\bf quoteterms}.$  Typically indexed on DOCUMENTID obtained from document table, where the DOCUMENTTYPE = 843.

| DOCUMENTID           |           |
|----------------------|-----------|
| TERMSBASIS           | Not used  |
| DISCOUNTPERCENT      | (e.g. 1)  |
| DISCOUNTDUEDATE      | Not used  |
| DISCOUNTDUEDAYS      | (e.g. 20) |
| NETDUEDATE           | (e.g. 30) |
| NETDUEDAYS           | Not used  |
| TOTALDISCOUNT        | Not used  |
| DEFERREDDATE         | Not used  |
| DEFERREDAMOUNT       | Not used  |
| INVOICEPAYABLEPERCEN | Not used  |
| EXPLANATION          | Not used  |
| DAYOFMONTH           | Not used  |
| PAYMENTMETHOD        | Not used  |

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Three tables (in addition to the document table) are used to keep track of award information.

 $\mathbf{award}$ . Typically indexed on DOCUMENTID obtained from document table, where the DOCUMENTTYPE = 850.

| DOCUMENTID          |                                  |
|---------------------|----------------------------------|
| PURCHASETYPE        | Not used                         |
| PURCHASEORDERNUMBER | (e.g. 94M7884)                   |
| CALLDELIVERYORDERNU | Not used                         |
| EFFECTIVEDATE       | (e.g. 29-NOV-93)                 |
| ACKNOWLEDGEMENT     | (e.g. NA)                        |
| AWARDDESCRIPTION    | Not used                         |
| BUYERCURRENCYCODE   | Not used                         |
| BUYEREXCHANGERATE   | Not used                         |
| BUYERRATEEFFECTIVE  | Not used                         |
| BUYERRATEEXPIRES    | Not used                         |
| SELLERCURRENCYCODE  | Not used                         |
| SELLEREXCHANGERATE  | Not used                         |
| SELLERRATEEFFECTIVE | Not used                         |
| SELLERRATEEXPIRES   | Not used                         |
| INTERNALORDERNUMBER | Not used                         |
| PURCHASEREQNUMBER   | (e.g. FE230032732376)            |
| DPASPRIORITY        | (e.g. c9e)                       |
| ACCTGNAPPROPDATA    | Not used                         |
| ACCTGCLASSREFNUMBER | Not used                         |
| QUOTEREFERENCENUMBE | Not used                         |
| QUOTEREFERENCEDATE  | Not used                         |
| RFQREFERENCENUMBER  | (e.g. F3360194T3294001)          |
| RFQREFERENCEDATE    | Not used                         |
| REQUIREDDELIVERYDAT | (e.g. 30-DEC-93)                 |
| BUSENTITYTYPE       | Not used                         |
| BUSENTITYNAME       | (e.g. NATIONWIDE SUPPLIES, INC.) |
| BUSENTITYVENDORID   | (index into vendor table)        |
| BUSENTITYDEPT       | Not used                         |
| BUSENTITYADDRESS    | Not used                         |
| BUSENTITYDEPT2      | Not used                         |
| BUSENTITYADDRESS2   | Not used                         |
| BUSENTITYCITY       | Not used                         |
| BUSENTITYSTATE      | Not used                         |
| BUSENTITYZIP        | Not used                         |
| BIDNUMBER           | Not used                         |
| BUYERSOFFICESYMBOL  | Not used                         |
| CRITICALITYDESIGNAT | Not used                         |
| FIRSTCONTACTID      | Not used                         |

SECONDCONTACTID
THIRDCONTACTID
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**STATUSORIGINATOR** 

**awardlineitem**. Typically indexed on DOCUMENTID obtained from document table, where the DOCUMENTTYPE = 850.

Not used

Not used

**DOCUMENTID ITEMNUMBER** (e.g. 0001)**PRICETYPE** Not used **DPASPRIORITY** (e.g. c9e) INTERNALORDERNUMBER Not used **PURCHASEREQNUMBER** Not used SINGLEDELIVERYDATE Not used DELIVERYDATE (e.g. 30-DEC-93) (e.g. 500.00) TOTALLINEAMOUNT

(e.g. 10) QUANTITY UNITOFMEASURE (e.g. EA) **UNITPRICE** (e.g. 50)UNITPRICEBASIS Not used FEDSTOCKCLASS (e.g. 7150) STDINDUSTRIALCLASS Not used PARTLISTINCLUDED (e.g. Y) VARIATIONPERCENT Not used **PURCHASEVARIATION** Not used ASC/PKWOSA

BUYERNAME ASC/PKW
BUYERCAGECODE Not used
BUYERDEPT Not used

BUYERADDRESS 1940 ALLBROOK DR STE 3
BUYERCITY WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OH

BUYERSTATE Not used BUYERZIP 454335309

SHIPTONAME BASE SUPPLY OFFICER

SHIPTOVENDORID Not used SHIPTODEPT Not used

SHIPTOADDRESS BLDG 257 AREA C

SHIPTOCITY WRIGHT-PATTERSON AFB OH

SHIPTOSTATE Not used SHIPTOZIP 454335000

BILLTONAME ACCOUNTING & FINANCE OFFICE

BILLTOVENDORID Not used BILLTODEPT Not used

BILLTOADDRESS DAO-DE WP/FSM 1940 ALLBROOK DR

BILLTOCITY STE 2 WRIGHT-PATTERSON OH

BILLTOSTATE Not used 454335308

ACTIVESTATUS STATUSDATE

# STATUSOPERATION STATUSORIGINATOR

# bcasaward. Usually referenced by UTNNUMBER or PIIN.

UTNNUMBER
VENDORCODE
NEGOTIATIONAUTHORITY
COMPETITIONCODE
SOLICITATIONNUMBER
PIIN
ORDERSTATEMENTS
CONFIRMWITH
CONTRACTREFNUMBER
ACTIVESTATUS
STATUSDATE
STATUSOPERATION
STATUSORIGINATOR

(e.g. F3360194T3294001) (e.g. 0FK029S) (e.g. 0301) (e.g. Y) Not used (e.g. 94M7884) (e.g. EX IN SI GU) Not used Not used

# 4.6.2 Common Operator Database Manipulations

The operator must use the ORACLE utility *sqlplus* in order to manipulate the data contained in the tables. There are three common manipulations that an operator might be called to perform.

# 4.6.2.1 Changing REVIEWSTATUS in Acquisition Table

The first common operation is changing the REVIEWSTATUS column in the acquisition table. This is done with the following *sqlplus* command:

update acquisition set reviewstatus = 'CL' where utnnumber = '&utn' and activestatus = 1;

(NOTE the &utn syntax will cause *sqlplus* to prompt the user to type in the specific utn value after the command is entered)

The above command will change the status of the acquisition associated with the specified utn from its current status to closed. To change the REVIEWSTATUS to awarded use,

update acquisition set reviewstatus = 'AW' where utnnumber = '&utn' and activestatus = 1;

This operation will change the category (on the buyer workload screen) that the RFQ with the specified utn will be placed in.

# 4.6.2.2 Activating-Deactivating Database Records

The second common database operation is activating/de-activating records in tables by changing the ACTIVESTATUS field in a table. As an example of this consider de-activating a particular 840 document in the document table,

update document set activestatus = 2 where utnnumber = '&utn' and activestatus = 1 and documenttype = '840';

As an another example consider re-activating a record from the lineitem table,

update lineitem set activestatus = 1 where documentid = '&docid' and activestatus = 2;

This operation will effectively "hide" that record of data from the GATEC application.

It should be noted that at times it may become necessary to modify other column elements of a record. In these cases the update command can also be used, the general syntax being:

update <table\_name> set <column\_name> = <value> where <column\_name\_a> = <constraint\_1> and <column\_name\_b> = <constraint\_2> and ....;

# 4.6.2.3 Examining Records in a Database Table

The third task an operator might be called on to perform is the examination of particular records in tables. This can be done by using the *sqlplus* select command. For example to display a particular record from the soliciationlineitem table, the following query would be used:

select \* from solicitationlineitem where solicitationnumber = '&solno' and lineitem = '&lineno';

To examine an award record from the award table requires a two step process. First, the DOCUMENTID of the document (with documenttype = 850) and with the specified UTNNUMBER must be displayed:

select documentid from document where utnnumber = '&utn' and activestatus = 1 and documenttype = '850';

The documentid, can then be used in the following query,

select \* from award where documentid = '&docid';

Generally these three operations become necessary to perform in the event that the GATEC application encounters an error situation and cannot complete a task successfully. The select command is used to assess the situation, while the update commands are used to actually remedy the difficulty.

#### 4.6.2.4 The Archive Database

In the GATEC table space there are another set of tables which have the same names of the primary GATEC tables. The only difference being the archive table names are under a different user (archive/archive). Nominally, all RFQ data is moved to the archive table space 90 days after the RFQ has been awarded or redirected. The archive tables can be manipulated in the same fashion as the primary GATEC tables. The archiving process is located at /home/gatec2/bin on the Database Machine. Its name is gen\_arch\_gatec.pl.sql.

# 4.6.2.5 Cleaning /db/log

ORACLE writes log files which describe the changes that are being made to the GATEC database. The name of the files are in the form:

arch\_<five\_digit\_number>.dbf

For nominal GATEC activity this directory begins to fill up after three to four days of GATEC use. Nominally, these files should be deleted after either 1) they have been backed up, or 2) the current database has been exported. It is recommended that the cron script which effects backups on the Database Machine delete these files after the backup of the Database Machine has taken place.

# 4.7 Re-transmitting Transactions

Every transaction which leaves the site is archived in a file named archive. This file is located in /usr/spool/mail on the transport machine. At midnight, this file is copied to the directory /home/archive/archive on the transport machine and given the

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name "arch.<year><month><day>" (e.g. arch. 931205, for all transactions which went out on Dec. 5, 1993) by the newsyslog cron located in /home/gatec2/bin on the Transport Machine. It is not uncommon for VANs to sometimes "drop email on the floor." When this occurs it may become necessary for a site to re-transmit particular transactions. Doing this is very straightforward. The operator simply pulls the archive file of interest into and editor and locates the transactions of interest (usually a search is done on the subject line, which is in the form:

<x12\_transaction\_set\_number>:<UTN>

One simply places the message into a temporary text file transferring the body of the message and the original "To:" and "Subject:" lines. However, the first line of this file must be:

/usr/lib/sendmail -f gatec -t<<'EOF'

Once the file is written out it need only be shelled to re-mail the message.

If many messages have to be resent it would probably be easier to open the archive file with a mail application, then after finding the messages of interest simply re-send those messages. The *tm* mailer application is used to do this at LLNL. However, other mailers could be used as well.

## 4.8 Requeuing

The GATEC system uses two types of queues to move data around in the system. Recall the first are UNIX printer queues (there are four):

*inbound* - holds first 1000 inbound SMTP mail messages containing an X12 transaction. These messages come from the hub.

*inbound2* - holds overflow from inbound (up to 1000)

*inbound3* - hold overflow from inbound2 (up to 1000)

outbound - holds a flat ASCII file (known as a CDF file---Common Data Format) generated by GATEC application containing information necessary to produce 840, or 850, or 836, or 864

To check the status of these queues the UNIX lpc command can be used, e.g.,

lpc status

To hold a queue (i.e. prevent further items from being placed on the queue) the lpc stop command can be used, e.g.,

lpc stop inbound

will hold the inbound queue.

To re-start a queues the lpc start command can be employed, e.g.,

lpc start inbound

For further details consult the SunOs Reference Manual [REF007].

The second type of queue is known as a "multi-user queue." These queues are established and maintained with public domain software (see public domain software section in *GATEC Internal Software Description Document*. [REF016]. Recall there are three multi-user queues in the GATEC system:

bcasupload - holds names of 850 and 836 CDFs as well as BCAS CDF. The putuploads\_cron uses this queue to upload award information to BCAS. If the award is successfully upload, the cron sends the 850 and 836 CDF's to the *outbound* printer queue for processing by the *outbound* application.

bcasitem - holds name of CDF file containing item description information to upload back to BCAS. The upload\_bcas\_item\_desc\_cron makes use of this queue.

bcascancel - holds names of 850 and 836 CDFs as well as a CDF containing award cancel information to be uploaded to BCAS. The upload\_bcas\_cancel\_award\_cron makes use of this queue. If the cancel information is successfully uploaded, the 850 CDF only is sent to the outbound queue.

To prevent access to the multi-user queues (unfortunately queuing cannot be absolutely disabled, instead only access to the queue can be controlled) one can use the qsetstatus command. For example, to prevent access (i.e. prevent an application from taking an item off the queue) to the beasupload queue one would use the following,

qsetstatus bcasupload DOWN

To re-enable the queue,

qsetstatus bcasupload UP

It sometimes becomes necessary to manually requeue items on

both types of queues. For example, assume that a particular 840 CDF was not sent to the outbound queue. In order to resend it the operator would simply type:

lpr -Poutbound <filename>

840, 850, BCAS, and 836 CDF's can be found in /home/gatec2/tmp on the Database

Machine with filenames of the form:

840<four\_alpha\_chars><5\_digits> e.g. 840PCAa03582

850<four\_alpha\_chars><5\_digits> e.g. 850HAAa20250

836<four\_alpha\_chars><5\_digits> e.g. 836WAAa18576

BCAS<four\_alpha\_chars><5\_digits> e.g. BCASLAAa06366

840 files are not automatically deleted from this directory, instead, the remoldfiles\_cron periodically cleans the directory. The directory can also be manually cleaned. It is recommended that at least the last three days of files be kept. 850 and 836 CDF files are automatically deleted by the putuploads\_cron after the files are successfully sent to the *outbound* printer queue. The operator should be warned that if BCAS is down for a number of days a large number of 836, 850 and BCAS CDFs will accumulate since uploads are not taking place. The operator should also be warned that it is very unlikely that he/she will have to directly requeue an 850 or 836 to the outbound queue. This is because the queuing should not be done unless the corresponding award information has been successfully uploaded to BCAS. The content of the 840, 850, and 836 CDFs are described in Section 6.

The *inbound*, *inbound1*, and *inbound2* queues can be manipulated in a similar fashion. However, recall only the filenames of files using SMTP mail holding X12 843, 864, and 838c transactions are queued on the inbound queues. A common reason for having to requeue *inbound* is the inability of quotes (for some reason) to get into the database. Section 5 discusses some error conditions which might cause this to occur.

Sometimes it will also be necessary to requeue the *bcascancel*, *bcasitem*, and *bcasupload* queues. To do this the utility *qadditem* is used.

The cancel queue must have the cancel CDF filename as the first parameter, then the names of the 850 and 836 CDFs (in one string). Thus if 850HAAa20250, and 836GAAa20250 corresponded to the cancel CDF eaaa20250, the Requeuing command would look like:

qadditem bcascancel eaaa20250 "850HAAa20250 836GAAa20250"

Requeuing the *bcasupload* queue is similar, except the BCAS CDF is the first file specified, for example,

qadditem bcasupload BCASTAAa12021 "850SAAa12021 836RAAa12021"

The *itemupload* queue only takes one filename, the CDF file containing the item description information to upload, the first string specified is the stock number of the item description begin uploaded. So if the file aaaa13706 had the item description for stock number 651501263600 then the requeuing command would look like:

qadditem bcasitem "6515012636300" aaaa13706

# 4.9 Managing Item Upload CDF Files

Item description CDFs reside in the /var/tmp directory. These files are not automatically deleted. Two utilities exist to help operations personnel delete the files. The first utility extractItemResults (located in /home/gatecmgr/handleItemFiles) on the Database Machine takes as input the upload results email messages sent to gatecmgr by the upload bcas item desc cron. It proceeds to delete those files whose item descriptions has been successfully uploaded. It moves those item CDFs which were not successfully uploaded to the /home/bcas/items directory (also on the Database Machine). Actually, each time *extractItemResults* is run it creates a directory in /home/bcas/items to place the error files. The directory name has the form: errDir<five\_digit\_number>. These files must be reviewed in tandem with the error messages received by the gatecmanager user to evaluate the difficulty with the files. Invariably the problem involves a line in the file which exceed the BCAS limits. The diagnostic error messages are discussed in Section 5.

Another Bourne Shell script named *itemGarbageCollector* is meant to operate on the /var/tmp directory when the *bcasitem* queue is empty. It searches the directory to see if it can identify item CDF files which have not been deleted, but whose corresponding stock number shows a successful upload in the *item\_upload\_trace* log in the /home/bcas directory. Those files will be deleted---any files whose stock numbers are not found are automatically requeued on the *bcasitem* queue.

Cancel award CDFs also reside in the /var/tmp directory. These files are not automatically deleted. Two utilities exist to help operations personnel delete the files. The first utility extractCancelResults (located in /home/gatecmgr/handleItemFiles) on the Database Machine takes as input the upload results email messages sent to gatecmgr by the upload\_cancel\_award\_cron. It proceeds to delete those files whose cancellations has been successfully uploaded. It moves those item CDFs which were not successfully canceled to the /home/bcas/items directory (also on the Database Machine). Actually, each time extractCancelResults is run it creates a directory in /home/bcas/items to place the error files. The directory name the form: has errCancelDir<five\_digit\_number>. These files must be reviewed in tandem with the error messages received by the gatecmanager user to evaluate the difficulty with the files. There are many reasons why a cancellation may fail. The diagnostic error messages are discussed in Section 5.

Another Bourne Shell script named *cancelGarbageCollector* is meant to operate on the /var/tmp directory when the *bcascancel* queue is empty. It searches the directory to see if it can identify cancel CDF files which have not been deleted, but whose corresponding piin number shows a successful cancellation in the *cancel\_upload\_trace* log in the /home/bcas directory. Those files will be deleted---any files whose piin numbers are not found are automatically requeued on the *bcascancel* queue.

# SECTION 5 Understanding Diagnostic Messages Sent to gatecmgr

Diagnostic error messages come to gatecmgr from many sources including putuploads\_cron, getopr\_bsp\_cron3, getstmntship\_cron, upload\_bcas\_item\_desc\_cron, upload\_bcas\_cancel\_award\_cron, 843CDFtoDB, 864CDFtoDB, 824CDFtoDB, 838CcCDFtoDB and ack\_cron\_pl. Actions that should be taken on receipt of such messages are discussed in the following sections.

# 5.1 Typical *putuploads\_cron* Diagnostic Messages

Note that the *putuploads\_cron* diagnostic messages are not only sent to the gatecmgr. They are also attached as a message to the RFQ in the GATEC database. Thus, when awards fail, the buyer will have the ability to read the diagnostic and take action as well. Common *putuploads\_cron* diagnostic messages are discussed below,

### 5.1.1 BCAS Down

From: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (GATEC manager) Message-Id: <9307152356.AA00198@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil>

To: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil

Subject: putuploads\_cron

Status: O

putuploads\_cron: upload failed on cdf file /home/gatec2/tmp/BCASBAAa16716, stopping.

BCASupload: ----- program begins

cmdargs

Network connection failed (Connection timed out).

BCASupload: can't establish TCP connection to wpwan08.wpafb.af.mil

This is a very typical message. Often times the BCAS system is down and not available. The operator need not worry, *putuploads\_cron* will requeue the file and try again later

#### 5.1.2 BCAS Telnet Sessions Exhausted

To: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil

Subject: putuploads\_cron

Status: O

putuploads\_cron: upload failed on cdf file /home/gatec2/tmp/BCASBAAa00553, stopping.

BCASupload: ----- program begins

cmdargs login

BCASupload: no telnet sessions available on BCAS

BCASupload: couldn't log in to BCAS processor at wpwan08.wpafb.af.mil

finis

BCAS has a limited number of Telnet sessions available. Again, this requires no operator intervention, as the file will be requeued and *putuploads\_cron* will try later.

# 5.1.3 BCAS Login Inhibited

To: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil

Subject: putuploads\_cron

Status: O

putuploads\_cron: upload failed on cdf file /home/gatec2/tmp/BCASOAAa00553, stopping.

BCASupload: ----- program begins

cmdargs login

BCASupload: 'LOGON INHIBITED'

BCASupload: couldn't log in to BCAS processor at wpwan08.wpafb.af.mil

finis

Another BCAS down error message. *putuploads\_cron* will try again later.

#### 5.1.4 BCAS Disconnect

To: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil

Subject: putuploads\_cron

Status: RO

putuploads\_cron: upload failed on cdf file /home/gatec2/tmp/BCASJAAa05852, stopping.

BCASupload: ----- program begins

cmdargs

login
^M
...Remote computer disconnect.
^Mfinis

Sometimes BCAS will spontaneously disconnect. This is a typical error message for this situation. *putuploads\_cron* will try again later.

## 5.1.5 Vendor Code Incompatible With the Negotiation Authority

From: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (GATEC manager) Message-Id: <9307191358.AA06660@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil>

To: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil

Subject: putuploads\_cron

Status: O

putuploads\_cron: upload failed on cdf file /home/gatec2/tmp/BCASBAAa05852, continuing ...

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BCASupload: ----- program begins

cmdargs login

walkmenus

menumove(17, BCAS)

pfkey(17)

substr(PQRSwxymtuvlqrsn, 0, 0)

Menu: BCAS...start...end menumove(3, SUPSRV)

pfkey(3)

substr(PQRSwxymtuvlgrsn, 2, 2)

Menu: SUPSRV...start...end

menumove(8, AWDS)

pfkey(8)

substr(PQRSwxymtuvlqrsn, 7, 7)

Menu: AWDS...start...end

parsefields(/tmp/uploadcdf6613)

Cannot open /dev/null (Error 0).

gateway internal open bug detected and handled. Continuing ...

checkvars

BCASupload: processing award piin 93MH605

BCASupload: Awarding solicitation number: 93TL415

attempting purchase order

menumove(1, AWD01)

pfkey(1)

substr(PQRSwxymtuvlqrsn, 0, 0)

Menu: AWD01...start...end

upload

fixfield(2B0942L, 7)

fixfield(1, 4)fixfield(93MH605, 7) fixfield(93JUL19, 7) fixfield(. 15) fixfield(Y, 1)fixfield(0301, 4) output :EXINSIGU fixfield(N, 1) fixfield(, 3) fixfield(c9e, 3)

fixfield(G1R, 3) fixfield(N, 1) fixfield(N, 1)

fixfield(N, 1)

menumove(0, AWD02) Menu: AWD02...Timeout!

BCASupload: did not reach AWD02 menu

resp err

BCASupload: vendor bcas code: 2B0942L

BCASupload: BCAS reports vendor bcas code error: VEND-TP INCOMPAT WITH NEG-

AUTH

BCASupload: upload probably failed for input file /tmp/uploadcdf6613

Here the vendor code is incompatible with the negotiation authority. This error message is also attached as a message to the RFQ in the GATEC system. The buyer will have to re-award.

#### Unable to Get to Desired Menu 5.1.6

From: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (GATEC manager) Message-Id: <9307191358.AA06660@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil>

To: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil

Subject: putuploads\_cron

Status: O

putuploads\_cron: upload failed on cdf file /home/gatec2/tmp/BCASOBAa21838, continuing ...

BCASupload: ----- program begins

cmdargs login walkmenus menumove(17, BCAS) pfkev(17) substr(PQRSwxymtuvlqrsn, 0, 0) Menu: BCAS...start...end

menumove(3, SUPSRV)

pfkey(3)

substr(PQRSwxymtuvlqrsn, 2, 2)

Menu: SUPSRV...start...end

```
menumove(8, AWDS)
pfkev(8)
substr(PQRSwxymtuvlqrsn, 7, 7)
Menu: AWDS...start...end
parsefields(/tmp/uploadcdf21919)
Cannot open /dev/null (Error 0).
gateway internal open bug detected and handled. Continuing ...
checkvars
BCASupload: processing award piin 93MH793
BCASupload: Awarding solicitation number: 93TM026
attempting purchase order
menumove(1, AWD01)
pfkey(1)
substr(PQRSwxymtuvlqrsn, 0, 0)
Menu: AWD01...start...end
upload
fixfield(0NLH69S, 7)
fixfield(1, 4)
fixfield(93MH793, 7)
fixfield(93JUL20, 7)
fixfield(, 15)
fixfield(Y, 1)
fixfield(0301, 4)
output :EXINSIGU
fixfield(N, 1)
fixfield(, 3)
fixfield(c9b, 3)
fixfield(G1R, 3)
fixfield(N, 1)
fixfield(N, 1)
fixfield(N, 1)
menumove(0, AWD02)
Menu: AWD02...start...end
fixfield(93TM026, 7)
fixfield(0001, 4)
menumove(0, AWD03)
Menu: AWD03...Timeout!
BCASupload: did not reach AWD03 menu
```

BCASupload: solicitation number: 93TM026

Here the gateway script run *putuploads\_cron* was unable to get to a particlar menu. The award will be requeued and another attempt will be made later.

#### 5.1.7 Vendor Code Unknown

```
From: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (GATEC manager)
Message-Id: <9307191358.AA06660@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil>
To: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil
Subject: putuploads_cron
Status: O
putuploads_cron: upload failed on cdf file /home/gatec2/tmp/BCASOAAa20565, continuing ...
BCASupload: ----- program begins
cmdargs
login
walkmenus
menumove(17, BCAS)
pfkey(17)
substr(PQRSwxymtuvlqrsn, 0, 0)
Menu: BCAS...start...end
menumove(3, SUPSRV)
pfkev(3)
substr(PQRSwxymtuvlqrsn, 2, 2)
Menu: SUPSRV...start...end
menumove(8, AWDS)
pfkey(8)
substr(PQRSwxymtuvlqrsn, 7, 7)
Menu: AWDS...start...end
parsefields(/tmp/uploadcdf21919)
Cannot open /dev/null (Error 0).
gateway internal open bug detected and handled. Continuing ...
checkvars
BCASupload: processing award piin 93MH728
BCASupload: Awarding solicitation number: 93TK767
attempting purchase order
menumove(1, AWD01)
pfkey(1)
substr(PORSwxymtuvlgrsn, 0, 0)
Menu: AWD01...start...end
upload
fixfield(0U0N49S, 7)
fixfield(1, 4)
fixfield(93MH728, 7)
fixfield(93JUL20, 7)
fixfield(, 15)
fixfield(Y, 1)
fixfield(0301, 4)
output: EXINSIGU
fixfield(N, 1)
ixfield(, 3)
```

```
fixfield(c9b, 3)
fixfield(N, 1)
fixfield(N, 1)
fixfield(N, 1)
fixfield(N, 1)
menumove(0, AWD02)
Menu: AWD02...Timeout!
BCASupload: did not reach AWD02 menu
resp_err
BCASupload: vendor_bcas_code: 0U0N49S
BCASupload: BCAS reports vendor_bcas_code error: NOT ON FILE
BCASupload: upload probably failed for input file /tmp/uploadcdf21919
back2AWD01
pfkey(1)
```

Here, the vendor code is unknown. The buyer will have to retry.

# 5.1.8 Improper Data in Discount Days Field

```
From: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (GATEC manager)
Message-Id: <9307191358.AA06660@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil>
To: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil
Subject: putuploads_cron
Status: O
attempting purchase order
menumove(1, AWD01)
pfkey(1)
substr(PQRSwxymtuvlqrsn, 0, 0)
Menu: AWD01...start...end
upload
fixfield(759409S, 7)
fixfield(1, 4)
fixfield(93MH713, 7)
fixfield(93JUL20, 7)
fixfield(, 15)
fixfield(Y, 1)
fixfield(0301, 4)
output: EXINSIGU
fixfield(N, 1)
fixfield(, 3)
fixfield(c9e, 3)
fixfield(G1T, 3)
fixfield(N, 1)
fixfield(N, 1)
fixfield(N, 1)
```

menumove(0, AWD02) Menu: AWD02...start...end fixfield(93TL090, 7) fixfield(0002, 4) menumove(0, AWD03) Menu: AWD03...start...end Timeout! fixfield(0.000, 6) fixfield(10, 2)fixfield(30, 2)fixfield(D, 1) fixfield(, 32) fixfield(93AUG17, 7) fixfield(00001, 5) fixfield(, 1) fixfield(49.3900, 16) fixfield(, 2) order output: fixfield(N, 1) fixfield(, 3) menumove(0, AWD02) Menu: AWD02...Timeout! BCASupload: did not reach AWD02 menu Undefined variable 'discount'. BCASupload: discount: 0 BCASupload: BCAS reports discount error: % MUST BE > 0 IF DAYS > 0 BCASupload: upload probably failed for input file /tmp/uploadcdf21919

Here, the discount days field as improperly specified. The buyer will have to try and re-award.

### 5.1.9 RFQ Not Found

From: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (GATEC manager)
Message-Id: <9307191358.AA06660@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil>
To: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil
Subject: putuploads\_cron
Status: O

.
.
output :EXINSIGU :
fixfield(N, 1)
fixfield(, 3)
fixfield(c9e, 3)
fixfield(G1H, 3)
fixfield(N, 1)

fixfield(N, 1) fixfield(N, 1) menumove(0, AWD02) Menu: AWD02...start...end fixfield(93TL932, 7) fixfield(0002, 4) menumove(0, AWD03) Menu: AWD03...Timeout!

BCASupload: did not reach AWD03 menu

resp\_err

BCASupload: solicitation\_number: 93TL932

BCASupload: BCAS reports solicitation\_number error: NOT ON OPENPR FILE

BCASupload: upload failed for input file /tmp/uploadcdf1881

back2AWD01

pfkey(1)

Here the RFQ can't be found. This usually means that the RFQ has already been awarded in BCAS, but for some reason the GATEC database has not been updated to reflect this. In this case, the operator may be required to use *sqlplus* to update the acquisition table so the document can be moved from CLOSED to AWARDED on the buyer's workload screen. See Section 4.6. The Lead Buyer application also has the capability of moving the document to closed. See *Lead Buyer User's Guide*.

#### 5.1.10 Unable to Get to Desired Menu

From: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (GATEC manager) Message-Id: <9307191358.AA06660@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil>

To: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil

Subject: putuploads\_cron

Status: O

.

fixfield(G1H, 3)

fixfield(N, 1)

fixfield(N, 1)

fixfield(N, 1)

menumove(0, AWD02)

Menu: AWD02...start...end

fixfield(93TL929, 7)

fixfield(0001, 4)

menumove(0, AWD03) Menu: AWD03...Timeout!

BCASupload: did not reach AWD03 menu

resp\_err

BCASupload: solicitation\_number: 93TL929

BCASupload: BCAS reports solicitation\_number error: Unknown error BCASupload: upload failed for input file /tmp/uploadcdf1881 back2AWD01 pfkey(1) substr(PQRSwxymtuvlqrsn, 0, 0) pfkey(1) substr(PQRSwxymtuvlqrsn, 0, 0)

Sometimes the actual error cannot be identified. In this case the buyer must carefully review the parameters used in the award to access the error condition.

# 5.1.11 putupload\_cron Completion Message

After *putuploads\_cron* has finished executing (either due to an encountered error or all items in the queue being processed), it will mail a summary file of its activities to the gatecmgr. An example of one is shown below:

SUBJECT: Output from "cron" command

SENT BY: root@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (Operator gatecb)

DATED : 13 Dec 1993 at 1644 EST

SENT TO: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil

STATUS: old, read

Your "cron" job

/home/gatec2/bin/putuploads\_cron

produced the following output:

773 item(s) on the queue.

%award\_piin 94MA792 %UTNNumber F3360194T5325001 upload succeeded for BCASMBAa02793 774 item(s) on the queue.

%award\_piin 94MA804 %UTNNumber F3360194T5302001 upload succeeded for BCASXAAa04054 774 item(s) on the queue.

%award\_piin 94MA806 %UTNNumber F3360194T5309001 upload succeeded for BCASDBAa04054 773 item(s) on the queue. %award\_piin 94MA791 %UTNNumber F3360194T4604001 upload succeeded for BCASWCAa01825 772 item(s) on the queue.

%award\_piin 94MA790 %UTNNumber F3360194T4602001 upload succeeded for BCASTCAa01825 771 item(s) on the queue.

%award\_piin 94MA789 %UTNNumber F3360194T5078001 upload succeeded for BCASGBAa02793 770 item(s) on the queue.

%award\_piin 94MA787 %UTNNumber F3360194T4599001 upload succeeded for BCASPCAa01825 769 item(s) on the queue.

%award\_piin 94MA361 %UTNNumber F3360194T3852003 upload succeeded for BCASFEAa13198 768 item(s) on the queue.

%award\_piin 94MA360 %UTNNumber F3360194T3852006 upload succeeded for BCASCEAa13198 767 item(s) on the queue.

%award\_piin 94MA359 %UTNNumber F3360194T5281001 upload succeeded for BCASBGAa15949 766 item(s) on the queue.

%award\_piin 94MA357 %UTNNumber F3360194T3852004

In this particular case the beasupload queue was very filled. The last entry in the file is the last file processed before either an error condition occurred (as in this case, since "upload succeeded" is not under the UTN), or all files on the queue were processed.

## 5.2 Typical *getopr\_bsp\_cron3* Diagnostic Messages

Errors are very rare from the *getopr\_bsp\_cron3* cron. These messages are not available for viewing by buyers in the GATEC

application; instead, they must be viewed by reviewing the gatecmgr mail box.

## 5.2.1 No New Open Purchase Request

SUBJECT: Output from "cron" command

SENT BY: root@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (Operator gatecb)

DATED : 9 Dec 1993 at 2011 EST

SENT TO: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil

STATUS: old, read

Your "cron" job

nice /home/gatec2/bin/getopr\_bsp\_cron3

produced the following output:

Thu Dec 9 20:05:01 EST 1993 getting OPR
Connecting to host wpwan08.wpafb.af.mil ...
Download successful of file OPR recreating preopr table
Thu Dec 9 20:09:36 EST 1993
Thu Dec 9 20:11:12 EST 1993

No new Open Purchase Requests at this time

The most typical problem is no new RFQs to download.

## 5.2.2 *getopr\_bsp\_cron3* Inability to Connect to BCAS

Another common failure is an inability to connect to BCAS. The typical messages received indicating this condition are shown below,

SUBJECT: Output from "cron" command

SENT BY: root@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (Operator gatecb)

DATED : 10 Dec 1993 at 1205 EST

SENT TO: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil

STATUS: old, read

Your "cron" job

nice/home/gatec2/bin/getopr\_bsp\_cron3

## produced the following output:

Fri Dec 10 12:05:00 EST 1993

BCASrunproc: ----- program begins BCASrunproc: 'LOGON INHIBITED'

BCASrunproc: couldn't log in to BCAS processor at wpwan08.wpafb.af.mil

BCASrunproc: ----- program terminates

/home/gatec2/bin/getwangfiles: BCASrunproc exited non-zero

/home/gatec2/bin/getwangfiles: cannot generate files (wang unavailable?)

getopr\_bsp\_cron3: getwangfiles failed

SUBJECT: Output from "cron" command

SENT BY : root@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (Operator gatecb)

DATED : 10 Dec 1993 at 1505 EST

SENT TO: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil

STATUS: old, read

Your "cron" job

nice /home/gatec2/bin/getopr\_bsp\_cron3

produced the following output:

Fri Dec 10 15:05:00 EST 1993

BCASrunproc: ----- program begins

BCASrunproc: no telnet sessions available on BCAS

BCASrunproc: couldn't log in to BCAS processor at wpwan08.wpafb.af.mil

BCASrunproc: ----- program terminates

/home/gatec2/bin/getwangfiles: BCASrunproc exited non-zero

/home/gatec2/bin/getwangfiles: cannot generate files (wang unavailable?)

getopr\_bsp\_cron3: getwangfiles failed

## 5.2.3 *getopr\_bsp\_cron3* Success Message

Typically, one will see success messages from *getopr\_bsp\_cron3*. An example of mail sent as a result of a successful download is shown below,

SUBJECT: Output from "cron" command

SENT BY: root@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (Operator gatecb)

DATED : 16 Dec 1993 at 0913 EST

SENT TO: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil

STATUS: old, not read

Your "cron" job

nice /home/gatec2/bin/getopr\_bsp\_cron3

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produced the following output:

Thu Dec 16 09:05:01 EST 1993
getting OPR
Connecting to host wpwan08.wpafb.af.mil ...
Download successful of file OPR
recreating preopr table
Thu Dec 16 09:10:29 EST 1993
Thu Dec 16 09:12:17 EST 1993
getting item and nomenclature files from BCAS
getting ITEM
Connecting to host wpwan08.wpafb.af.mil ...
Download successful of file ITEM
getting NOME
Connecting to host wpwan08.wpafb.af.mil ...
Download successful of file NOME

7 rows created.

CE fund code check disabled
Site Address = F33601
matched item...1.2.3.4.5.6.7.8.records committed.

No more Open Purchase Requests at this time

# 5.3 *getstmntship\_cron* Diagnostic Messages

This cron is typically not run very frequently. It updates certain database tables in the GATEC database with BCAS data that does not change very often (i.e.,. shipping, statement, accounting and vendor information).

# 5.3.1 *getstmntship\_cron* Inability to Connect to BCAS

Another common failure is an inability to connect to BCAS. The typical messages received indicating this condition are shown below,

SUBJECT: Output from "cron" command

SENT BY: root@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (Operator gatecb)

DATED: 15 Dec 1993 at 1210 EST SENT TO: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil

STATUS : old, read

Your "cron" job

nice /home/gatec2/bin/getstmntship\_cron

produced the following output:

Fri Dec 15 12:10:00 EST 1993

BCASrunproc: ----- program begins BCASrunproc: 'LOGON INHIBITED'

BCASrunproc: couldn't log in to BCAS processor at wpwan08.wpafb.af.mil

BCASrunproc: ----- program terminates

/home/gatec2/bin/getwangfiles: BCASrunproc exited non-zero

/home/gatec2/bin/getwangfiles: cannot generate files (wang unavailable?)

getopr\_bsp\_cron3: getwangfiles failed

SUBJECT: Output from "cron" command

SENT BY : root@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (Operator gatecb)

DATED : 17 Dec 1993 at 2005 EST

SENT TO: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil

STATUS: old, read

Your "cron" job

nice /home/gatec2/bin/getstmntship cron

produced the following output:

Fri Dec 17 20:05:00 EST 1993

BCASrunproc: ----- program begins

BCASrunproc: no telnet sessions available on BCAS

BCASrunproc: couldn't log in to BCAS processor at wpwan08.wpafb.af.mil

BCASrunproc: ----- program terminates

/home/gatec2/bin/getwangfiles: BCASrunproc exited non-zero

/home/gatec2/bin/getwangfiles: cannot generate files (wang unavailable?)

getopr\_bsp\_cron3: getwangfiles failed

# 5.3.2 getstmntship\_cron Success Message

An example of mail sent as a result of a successful download of the shipping, statement, accounting, and vendor information is shown below.

SUBJECT: Output from "cron" command

SENT BY : root@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (Operator gatecb)

DATED : 22 Dec 1993 at 1117 EST

SENT TO: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil

STATUS: old, not read

Your "cron" job

nice /home/gatec2/bin/getstmntship\_cron

produced the following output:

Thu Dec 22 11:05:01 EST 1993
getting ship
Connecting to host wpwan08.wpafb.af.mil ...
Download successful of file SHIP
getting stmnt
Connecting to host wpwan08.wpafb.af.mil ...
Download successful of file STMNT
getting acctg
Connecting to host wpwan08.wpafb.af.mil ...
Download successful of file ACCTG
getting vadrs
Connecting to host wpwan08.wpafb.af.mil ...
Download successful of file VADRS
getting bcnst
Connecting to host wpwan08.wpafb.af.mil ...

Download successful of file BCNST Thu Dec 22 11:16:41 EST 1993

# 5.4 *upload\_bcas\_item\_desc\_cron* Diagnostic Messages

The item description upload errors are not attached as messages to RFQs. They are only sent to the gatecmgr. This is because it really isn't that important if some fail. The next time the item description is used in an RFQ, the buyer has another chance to edit the description. Since true errors (i.e. caused by improper line length) are so rare, there was little reason to expend the effort for the buyer notification.

## 5.4.1 *upload\_bcas\_item\_desc\_cron* Improper CDF Line Length

At the end of one or two week intervals, the operator may wish to examine the /home/bcas/item error directories on the Database Machine and manually correct and requeue the error files. Usually

the diagnostic error messages don't even need to be consulted. That is, when an error is detected, 99% of the time the error is caused by the improper line length. Legal line sizes are discussed in the *GATEC2 Internal Software Description Document* [REF016] section on Interface to Legacy System. But briefly, the *descriptionXX* lines (see CDF file below) can have a max length of 40 characters, the manufacturer name 30 characters, and the part number 20 characters. Typical diagnostic error messages are shown below. In the first example the first description line (description01) exceeds the maximim allowed number of characters.

From: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (GATEC manager) Message-Id: <9307161739.AA05202@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil>

To: gatecmgr@tis.llnl.gov

Subject: upload\_bcas\_item\_desc\_cron

Status: O

Fri Jul 16 13:39:55 EDT 1993 ./upload\_bcas\_item\_desc\_cron: cdf\_check failed on item num. 8315P14835; file name /usr/tmp/baaa00736

/home/gatec2/bin/cdf\_check: SNAP, FASTENER, HARD PRESS TOOL, AND PART

: does not match : $^{s+[\S]}{1,40}$ \$: at line:

description01 SNAP, FASTENER, HARD PRESS TOOL, AND PART

common data format has 1 syntax error

%Xbegin

%Xpurpose item upload

%Xfilename ITEM CDF

%Xdestination host gatec.dui

%Xversion 2.4

%Xdate 93 07 16

%stock\_number 8315P14835

%suffix

%unit\_of\_issue

%bsp

%primary\_customer

%variation

%automatic\_po

%brand name sole source

%commodity\_assignment

%manufacturers\_name AU-VE-CO

%manufacturers\_partno 14835

%description01 SNAP, FASTENER, HARD PRESS TOOL, AND PART

%description02 7677,14929,14830, SOCKET 7678; STUD 7629

%description03 AND EYELET 7682; ALLOWS USER TO INSTALL

%description04 VARIOUS SIZED SNAPS TO FABRICS, CANVAS,

%description05 MFR: AU-VE-CO

%description06 P/N: 14835

This is the most common error in item uploads, a line exceeding its maximum allowed length. To remedy the situation the item

description needs to be re-edited, then the file can be manually requeued for upload, i.e.,

qadditem bcasitem "8315P14835" "/var/tmp/baaa00736

Another example is shown below in which the maximum number of characters allowed for the manufacturers part number field (manufacturers\_partno) has been exceeded.

From: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (GATEC manager) Message-Id: <9307202230.AA01674@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil>

To: gatecmgr@tis.llnl.gov

Subject: upload\_bcas\_item\_desc\_cron

Status: O

Tue Jul 20 18:30:14 EDT 1993 /home/gatec2/bin/upload\_bcas\_item\_desc\_cron: cdf\_check failed on item num. 5660LAB913Q; file name /usr/tmp/abaa29035

/home/gatec2/bin/cdf\_check: SS20 8'L X 3" OD GALV.

: does not match : $^\s+[\S]{1,20}$ \$: at line:

manufacturers\_partno SS20 8'L X 3" OD GALV.

### common data format has 1 syntax error

%Xbegin

%Xpurpose item upload

%Xfilename ITEM CDF

%Xdestination\_host gatec.dui

%Xversion 2.4

%Xdate 93 07 20

%stock number 5660LAB913Q

%suffix

%unit of issue

%bsp

%primary customer

%variation

%automatic po

%brand\_name\_sole\_source

%commodity assignment

%manufacturers name D&D WHOLESALE FENCE SUPPLY

%manufacturers\_partno SS20 8'L X 3" OD GALV.

%description01 POST TYPE FENCE LENGTH 8' DIAMETER 3"OD

%description02 MATERIAL GALVANIZED LIGHT INDUSTRIAL

%description03 GRADE SS20

%description04 MFR: D&D WHOLESALE FENCE SUPPLY

%description05 P/N: SS20 8'L X 3" OD GALV.

%description06

%description07

%description08

%description09

#### 5.4.2 upload\_bcas\_item\_desc\_cron Unexpected BCAS Menu

Another common error is ending up on a different screen than This known expected. is a BCAS upload\_bcas\_item\_desc\_cron will requeue the file and try again later.

From: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (GATEC manager) Message-Id: <9307202341.AA02912@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil> To: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil, kal@tis.llnl.gov

Subject: item upload error summary

Status: O

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Begin item upload attempt

Processing file /usr/tmp/abaa16651 parsefields successful Attempting to connect connection successful On an unexpected screen BCAS DISCONNECT

%Xbegin

%Xpurpose item upload

%Xfilename ITEM CDF

%Xdestination\_host gatec.dui

%Xversion 2.4

#### 5.4.3 upload\_bcas\_item\_desc\_cron Summary Message

After each item upload session, a summary mail message is mailed to the gatecmgr. A sample message looks like the following,

From: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (GATEC manager) Message-Id: <9309241409.AA19500@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil>

To: gatecmgr@tis.llnl.gov

Subject: Final item upload summary

Status: O

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Item Upload Summary file for cron run at Fri Sep 24 10:05:01 EDT 1993

Fri Sep 24 10:06:13 EDT 1993 item upload succeeded for file /usr/tmp/aaaa15025; item num. 8040LAC098T

Fri Sep 24 10:07:10 EDT 1993 item upload succeeded for file /usr/tmp/aaaa14768; item num.

#### 6550L930001

Fri Sep 24 10:09:31 EDT 1993 item upload succeeded for file /usr/tmp/aaaa14489; item num. 7360L100020

Fri Sep 24 10:09:49 EDT 1993 /home/gatec2/bin/upload\_bcas\_item\_desc\_cron: BCAS down will requeue and exit; /usr/tmp/baaa18626; item num. 6135P0262832300

A summary of all item uploads is placed in the file /home/bcas/item\_upload\_trace on the Database Machine. A summary of all item upload errors is placed in the file /home/bcas/item\_upload\_errors on the Database Machine. Diagnostic gateway output for all item upload transactions is dumped in the file /home/bcas/item-upload-record on the Database Machine. This file should periodically be removed, then touched so its size doesn't get too large.

A session debug file for each item upload is also written out into the /tmp directory on the database machine. The file name is of the form:

<month>-<date>-<year>-<hour>-<minute>-<second>-item-log

These files should be periodically removed from /tmp.

# 5.5 *upload\_bcas\_cancel\_award\_cron* Diagnostic Messages

Cancel award upload errors are not attached as messages to RFQs. They are only sent to the gatecmgr. This is because buyers would likely never be able to identify that an error condition existed on an awarded document. This is because a buyer's AWARDED list on their workload screen is typically very large. Since only 25 or so RFQ's numbers can be viewed at a time in the AWARDED list, the likelihood of having a RFQ that had experienced a cancel award failure displayed is very slim.

There are many possibilities for cancel award failure. Since award cancellation does not happen that frequently, there are really no "common" errors except for the typical problems of not being able to connect to BCAS. The following errors can be considered "possible" to occur.

## 5.5.1 Award Piin Not Loaded

The indicated award piin in is no longer loaded in BCAS. This typically implies that the piin number for the award is wrong in GATEC. This problem should be referred to a system analyst.

SUBJECT: Cancel award error summary

SENT BY: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (Operator gatecb)

DATED : 05 Dec 1993 at 1117 EST

SENT TO: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil, kal@tis.llnl.gov

STATUS: new, not read

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Processing file /usr/tmp/eaaa30250

parsefields successful Attempting to connect

On system admin screen

On BCAS MENU screen

On CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION screen

On MODIFICATION MENU screen

On MODIFICATION ACTION screen

Inputting piin number of 94P1289

Successful input of piin number

Now inputting supp piin of

Successful input of supp piin number

Now inputting activity number of

Successful input of activity no.

Now inputting buyer code of G1R

Successful input of cac

Now inputting modification reason of T

Successful input of mod reason

Now inputting effective date of

Successful input of effective date 93NOV30

Now inputting f/t/d of F

Successful input of f/t/d

Now inputting contractor sign of N

Successful input of contractor sign

Now inputting number copies of

Successful input of number of copies

Now inputting suspense date of

Successful input of suspense date

Now inputting cancel order entirely of Y

Successful input of cancel entirely

Now inputting cancel prs to customer of

Successful input of cancel prs to customer

Now inputting with reopen prs of N

Successful input of with reopen prs

Now inputting order statement 1 of

Successful input of order statement 1

Now inputting order statement 2 of

Successful input of order statement 2

Now inputting order statement 3 of

Successful input of order statement 3

Now inputting order statement 4 of

Successful input of order statement 4 Now inputting order statement 5 of Successful input of order statement 5 Now inputting order statement 6 of Successful input of order statement 6 Now inputting order statement 7 of Successful input of order statement 7 Now inputting order statement 8 of Successful input of order statement 8 Now inputting order statement 9 of Successful input of order statement 9 Now inputting order statement 10 of Successful input of order statement 10 Now inputting special prep of N Successful input of special prep Award piin not loaded; will exit

#### 5.5.2 Item Delivered Cannot Cancel

The item in question has already been delivered. Thus, the award cannot be canceled using this mechanism.

SUBJECT : Cancel award error summary

SENT BY: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (Operator gatecb)

DATED : 10 Dec 1993 at 1417 EST

SENT TO: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil, kal@tis.llnl.gov

STATUS: new, not read

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Processing file /usr/tmp/eaal10250

parsefields successful Attempting to connect On system admin screen

On BCAS MENU screen

On CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION screen

On MODIFICATION MENU screen On MODIFICATION ACTION screen

Inputting piin number of 94P1220

Successful input of piin number

Now inputting supp piin of

Successful input of supp piin number

Now inputting activity number of

Successful input of activity no.

Now inputting buyer code of G1R

Successful input of cac

Now inputting modification reason of T

Successful input of mod reason Now inputting effective date of Successful input of effective date 93NOV30 Now inputting f/t/d of F Successful input of f/t/d Now inputting contractor sign of N Successful input of contractor sign Now inputting number copies of Successful input of number of copies Now inputting suspense date of Successful input of suspense date Now inputting cancel order entirely of Y Successful input of cancel entirely Now inputting cancel prs to customer of Successful input of cancel prs to customer Now inputting with reopen prs of N Successful input of with reopen prs Now inputting order statement 1 of Successful input of order statement 1 Now inputting order statement 2 of Successful input of order statement 2 Now inputting order statement 3 of Successful input of order statement 3 Now inputting order statement 4 of Successful input of order statement 4 Now inputting order statement 5 of Successful input of order statement 5 Now inputting order statement 6 of Successful input of order statement 6 Now inputting order statement 7 of Successful input of order statement 7 Now inputting order statement 8 of Successful input of order statement 8 Now inputting order statement 9 of Successful input of order statement 9 Now inputting order statement 10 of Successful input of order statement 10 Now inputting special prep of N Successful input of special prep Item delivered; cannot cancel

#### 5.5.3 Field Cannot be Blank

A key parameter was not specified by the buyer. This error typically involves the responses made in the BSP (CAC) or Suspense Date dialog boxes. A BCAS expert on award cancellation should be consulted to resolve the difficulty, then the cancellation should be attempted again.

SUBJECT: Cancel award error summary

SENT BY: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (Operator gatecb)

DATED : 11 Dec 1993 at 1017 EST

SENT TO: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil, kal@tis.llnl.gov

STATUS: new, not read

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Processing file /usr/tmp/eata20250

parsefields successful Attempting to connect

On system admin screen

On BCAS MENU screen

On CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION screen

On MODIFICATION MENU screen

On MODIFICATION ACTION screen

Inputting piin number of 94P1589

Successful input of piin number

Now inputting supp piin of

Successful input of supp piin number

Now inputting activity number of

Successful input of activity no.

Now inputting buyer code of G1R

Successful input of cac

Now inputting modification reason of T

Successful input of mod reason

Now inputting effective date of

Successful input of effective date 93DEC11

Now inputting f/t/d of D

Successful input of f/t/d

Now inputting contractor sign of N

Successful input of contractor sign

Now inputting number copies of

Successful input of number of copies

Now inputting suspense date of

Successful input of suspense date

Now inputting cancel order entirely of Y

Successful input of cancel entirely

Now inputting cancel prs to customer of

Successful input of cancel prs to customer

Now inputting with reopen prs of N

Successful input of with reopen prs

Now inputting order statement 1 of

Successful input of order statement 1

Now inputting order statement 2 of

Successful input of order statement 2

Now inputting order statement 3 of

Successful input of order statement 3

Now inputting order statement 4 of

Successful input of order statement 4 Now inputting order statement 5 of Successful input of order statement 5 Now inputting order statement 6 of Successful input of order statement 6 Now inputting order statement 7 of Successful input of order statement 7 Now inputting order statement 8 of Successful input of order statement 8 Now inputting order statement 9 of Successful input of order statement 9 Now inputting order statement 10 of Successful input of order statement 10 Now inputting special prep of N Successful input of special prep Field cannot be blank

## 5.5.4 Contractor Sign Should be N When T Used

This error involves an inappropriate response in the Contractor Sign Dialog Box. A BCAS cancel award expert should be consulted to resolve the difficulty

SUBJECT : Cancel award error summary

SENT BY: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (Operator gatecb)

DATED : 19 Dec 1993 at 1917 EST

SENT TO: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil, kal@tis.llnl.gov

STATUS: new, not read

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Begin cancel upload attempt \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Processing file /usr/tmp/ejka20250

parsefields successful

Attempting to connect

On system admin screen

On BCAS MENU screen

On CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION screen

On MODIFICATION MENU screen

On MODIFICATION ACTION screen

Inputting piin number of 94P1080

Successful input of piin number

Now inputting supp piin of

Successful input of supp piin number

Now inputting activity number of

Successful input of activity no.

Now inputting buyer code of G1R

Successful input of cac

Now inputting modification reason of T Successful input of mod reason Now inputting effective date of Successful input of effective date 93DEC19 Now inputting f/t/d of T Successful input of f/t/d Now inputting contractor sign of Y Successful input of contractor sign Now inputting number copies of Successful input of number of copies Now inputting suspense date of Successful input of suspense date Now inputting cancel order entirely of Y Successful input of cancel entirely Now inputting cancel prs to customer of Successful input of cancel prs to customer Now inputting with reopen prs of N Successful input of with reopen prs Now inputting order statement 1 of Successful input of order statement 1 Now inputting order statement 2 of Successful input of order statement 2 Now inputting order statement 3 of Successful input of order statement 3 Now inputting order statement 4 of Successful input of order statement 4 Now inputting order statement 5 of Successful input of order statement 5 Now inputting order statement 6 of Successful input of order statement 6 Now inputting order statement 7 of Successful input of order statement 7 Now inputting order statement 8 of Successful input of order statement 8 Now inputting order statement 9 of Successful input of order statement 9 Now inputting order statement 10 of Successful input of order statement 10 Now inputting special prep of N Successful input of special prep Contractor sign should be N when T used

#### 5.5.5 Field Must be Y or N

A field had an illegal response. The error message is position dependent on the BCAS screen, so determining the actual field that had the illegal value can be difficult. However, the error can only be reported for the following Dialog Boxes on the CANCEL

#### AWARD screen,

Contractor Sign Cancel PRS to Customer With Reopen PRS

SUBJECT : Cancel award error summary

SENT BY: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (Operator gatecb)

DATED : 10 Dec 1993 at 1417 EST

SENT TO: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil, kal@tis.llnl.gov

STATUS: new, not read

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Begin cancel upload attempt \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Processing file /usr/tmp/eaza20250

parsefields successful Attempting to connect

On system admin screen On BCAS MENU screen

On CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION screen

On MODIFICATION MENU screen

On MODIFICATION ACTION screen

Inputting piin number of 94P1989

Successful input of piin number

Now inputting supp piin of

Successful input of supp piin number

Now inputting activity number of

Successful input of activity no.

Now inputting buyer code of G1R

Successful input of cac Now inputting modification reason of T

Successful input of mod reason

Now inputting effective date of

Successful input of effective date 93DEC10

Now inputting f/t/d of F

Successful input of f/t/d

Now inputting contractor sign of

Successful input of contractor sign

Now inputting number copies of

Successful input of number of copies

Now inputting suspense date of

Successful input of suspense date

Now inputting cancel order entirely of

Successful input of cancel entirely

Now inputting cancel prs to customer of

Successful input of cancel prs to customer

Now inputting with reopen prs of N

Successful input of with reopen prs

Now inputting order statement 1 of

Successful input of order statement 1 Now inputting order statement 2 of Successful input of order statement 2 Now inputting order statement 3 of Successful input of order statement 3 Now inputting order statement 4 of Successful input of order statement 4 Now inputting order statement 5 of Successful input of order statement 5 Now inputting order statement 6 of Successful input of order statement 6 Now inputting order statement 7 of Successful input of order statement 7 Now inputting order statement 8 of Successful input of order statement 8 Now inputting order statement 9 of Successful input of order statement 9 Now inputting order statement 10 of Successful input of order statement 10 Now inputting special prep of N Successful input of special prep Field must be Y or N

#### 5.5.6 Field Should be Blank

Typically this error implies that the Suspense Date Dialog Box should not have had a date specified in it for the type of cancellation which has been specified by the user.

SUBJECT: Cancel award error summary

SENT BY: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (Operator gatecb)

DATED : 04 Dec 1993 at 1817 EST

SENT TO: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil, kal@tis.llnl.gov

STATUS: new, not read

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Processing file /usr/tmp/eaba20250
parsefields successful
Attempting to connect
On system admin screen
On BCAS MENU screen
On CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION screen
On MODIFICATION MENU screen
On MODIFICATION ACTION screen
Inputting piin number of 94P1189

Successful input of piin number Now inputting supp piin of Successful input of supp piin number Now inputting activity number of Successful input of activity no. Now inputting buyer code of G1R Successful input of cac Now inputting modification reason of T Successful input of mod reason Now inputting effective date of Successful input of effective date 93DEC04 Now inputting f/t/d of F Successful input of f/t/d Now inputting contractor sign of N Successful input of contractor sign Now inputting number copies of Successful input of number of copies Now inputting suspense date of 93DEC28 Successful input of suspense date Now inputting cancel order entirely of Y Successful input of cancel entirely Now inputting cancel prs to customer of Successful input of cancel prs to customer Now inputting with reopen prs of N Successful input of with reopen prs Now inputting order statement 1 of Successful input of order statement 1 Now inputting order statement 2 of Successful input of order statement 2 Now inputting order statement 3 of Successful input of order statement 3 Now inputting order statement 4 of Successful input of order statement 4 Now inputting order statement 5 of Successful input of order statement 5 Now inputting order statement 6 of Successful input of order statement 6 Now inputting order statement 7 of Successful input of order statement 7 Now inputting order statement 8 of Successful input of order statement 8 Now inputting order statement 9 of Successful input of order statement 9 Now inputting order statement 10 of Successful input of order statement 10 Now inputting special prep of N Successful input of special prep Since contr. sign was no; this field should be blank

#### 5.5.7 Field Should be ALL or 1-6

SUBJECT: Cancel award error summary

SENT BY: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (Operator gatecb)

DATED : 07 Dec 1993 at 1817 EST

SENT TO: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil, kal@tis.llnl.gov

STATUS: new, not read

This implies an illegal response in the "Number of Copies" dialog box on the cancel award screen.

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Processing file /usr/tmp/eaba20250

parsefields successful

Attempting to connect

On system admin screen

On BCAS MENU screen

On CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION screen

On MODIFICATION MENU screen

On MODIFICATION ACTION screen

Inputting piin number of 94P1289

Successful input of piin number

Now inputting supp piin of

Successful input of supp piin number

Now inputting activity number of

Successful input of activity no.

Now inputting buyer code of G1R

Successful input of cac

Now inputting modification reason of T

Successful input of mod reason

Now inputting effective date of

Successful input of effective date 93DEC07

Now inputting f/t/d of F

Successful input of f/t/d

Now inputting contractor sign of Y

Successful input of contractor sign

Now inputting number copies of

Successful input of number of copies 8

Now inputting suspense date of

Successful input of suspense date

Now inputting cancel order entirely of Y

Successful input of cancel entirely

Now inputting cancel prs to customer of

Successful input of cancel prs to customer

Now inputting with reopen prs of N

Successful input of with reopen prs

Now inputting order statement 1 of Successful input of order statement 1 Now inputting order statement 2 of Successful input of order statement 2 Now inputting order statement 3 of Successful input of order statement 3 Now inputting order statement 4 of Successful input of order statement 4 Now inputting order statement 5 of Successful input of order statement 5 Now inputting order statement 6 of Successful input of order statement 6 Now inputting order statement 7 of Successful input of order statement 7 Now inputting order statement 8 of Successful input of order statement 8 Now inputting order statement 9 of Successful input of order statement 9 Now inputting order statement 10 of Successful input of order statement 10 Now inputting special prep of N Successful input of special prep Since contr. sign was yes; this field should be ALL or 1-6

#### 5.5.8 Suspense Date Must be Input

SUBJECT: Cancel award error summary

SENT BY: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (Operator gatecb)

DATED : 29 Dec 1993 at 0917 EST

SENT TO: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil, kal@tis.llnl.gov

STATUS: new, not read

For a draft, a suspense date must be input.

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Begin cancel upload attempt

Processing file /usr/tmp/ecba20250

parsefields successful

Attempting to connect On system admin screen

On BCAS MENU screen

On CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION screen

On MODIFICATION MENU screen

On MODIFICATION ACTION screen

Inputting piin number of 94P1289

Successful input of piin number

Now inputting supp piin of

Successful input of supp piin number Now inputting activity number of Successful input of activity no. Now inputting buyer code of G1R Successful input of cac Now inputting modification reason of T Successful input of mod reason Now inputting effective date of Successful input of effective date 93DEC29 Now inputting f/t/d of D Successful input of f/t/d Now inputting contractor sign of N Successful input of contractor sign Now inputting number copies of Successful input of number of copies Now inputting suspense date of Successful input of suspense date Now inputting cancel order entirely of Y Successful input of cancel entirely Now inputting cancel prs to customer of Successful input of cancel prs to customer Now inputting with reopen prs of N Successful input of with reopen prs Now inputting order statement 1 of Successful input of order statement 1 Now inputting order statement 2 of Successful input of order statement 2 Now inputting order statement 3 of Successful input of order statement 3 Now inputting order statement 4 of Successful input of order statement 4 Now inputting order statement 5 of Successful input of order statement 5 Now inputting order statement 6 of Successful input of order statement 6 Now inputting order statement 7 of Successful input of order statement 7 Now inputting order statement 8 of Successful input of order statement 8 Now inputting order statement 9 of Successful input of order statement 9 Now inputting order statement 10 of Successful input of order statement 10 Now inputting special prep of N Successful input of special prep Since draft, suspense date must be specified A BCAS anomaly has prevented the *BCAScancelaward* script from reaching the BEGIN NARRATIVE BCAS screen. The file should be requeued.

SUBJECT: Cancel award error summary

SENT BY: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (Operator gatecb)

DATED : 20 Dec 1993 at 1117 EST

SENT TO: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil, kal@tis.llnl.gov

STATUS: new, not read

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Begin cancel upload attempt \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Processing file /usr/tmp/edba20250

parsefields successful

Attempting to connect

On system admin screen

On BCAS MENU screen

On CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION screen

On MODIFICATION MENU screen

On MODIFICATION ACTION screen

Inputting piin number of 94P1235

Successful input of piin number

Now inputting supp piin of

Successful input of supp piin number

Now inputting activity number of

Successful input of activity no.

Now inputting buyer code of G1R

Successful input of cac

Now inputting modification reason of T

Successful input of mod reason

Now inputting effective date of

Successful input of effective date 93DEC20

Now inputting f/t/d of F

Successful input of f/t/d

Now inputting contractor sign of N

Successful input of contractor sign

Now inputting number copies of

Successful input of number of copies

Now inputting suspense date of

Successful input of suspense date

Now inputting cancel order entirely of Y

Successful input of cancel entirely

Now inputting cancel prs to customer of

Successful input of cancel prs to customer

Now inputting with reopen prs of N

Successful input of with reopen prs Now inputting order statement 1 of Successful input of order statement 1 Now inputting order statement 2 of Successful input of order statement 2 Now inputting order statement 3 of Successful input of order statement 3 Now inputting order statement 4 of Successful input of order statement 4 Now inputting order statement 5 of Successful input of order statement 5 Now inputting order statement 6 of Successful input of order statement 6 Now inputting order statement 7 of Successful input of order statement 7 Now inputting order statement 8 of Successful input of order statement 8 Now inputting order statement 9 of Successful input of order statement 9 Now inputting order statement 10 of Successful input of order statement 10 Now inputting special prep of N Successful input of special prep Did not reach begin narrative screen

# 5.5.10 *upload\_bcas\_cancel\_award\_cron* Summary Message

After each cancel award session, a summary mail message is mailed to the gatecmgr. A sample message looks like the following,

From: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (GATEC manager) Message-Id: <9309241409.AA19500@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil>

To: gatecmgr@tis.llnl.gov

Subject: Final cancel award summary

Status: O

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Cancel Award Summary file for cron run at Fri Nov 26 15:05:01 EDT 1993

Fri Nov 26 15:06:13 EDT 1993 cancel/amend award succeeded for file /usr/tmp/abaa15025; piin num. 94M2000

Fri Nov 26 15:07:10 EDT 1993 cancel/amend award succeeded for file /usr/tmp/aaga14768; piin num. 94M2030

Fri Nov 26 15:09:31 EDT 1993 cancel/amend award succeeded for file /usr/tmp/aata14489; piin num. 94M2004

Fri Nov 26 15:09:49 EDT 1993 /home/gatec2/bin/upload\_bcas\_cancel\_award\_cron: BCAS down will requeue and exit; /usr/tmp/baaa18626; piin num. 94M2010

A summary of all cancel uploads is placed in the file /home/bcas/cancel\_award\_trace on the Database Machine. A summary of all cancel errors is placed in the file /home/bcas/cancel\_award\_errors on the Database Machine. Diagnostic gateway output for all cancel transactions is dumped in the file /home/bcas/cancel\_award\_record on the Database Machine. cancel\_award\_record should periodically be removed, then touched so its size doesn't get too large.

A session debug file for each cancel upload is also written out into the /tmp directory on the database machine. The file name is of the form:

<month>-<date>-<year>-<hour>-<minute>-<second>-cancel-log

# 5.6 *843CDFtoDB* Diagnostic Messages

The most common diagnostic message produced by 843CDFtoDB is an indication that the database is down The *inbound* script will requeue the quote and attempt to re-run 843DBtoCDF at a later time. An example of the error message generated in this situation is shown below:

Date: Fri, 19 Mar 93 04:19:31 -0800

Message-Id: <9303191219.AA14530@yakuza.tis.llnl.gov>

X-Epm-Stub: Fri, 19 Mar 93 04:19:31 -0800

To: F33601@yakuza.tis.llnl.gov Subject: 843:F3360193TC207001 >From: cole@yakuza.tis.llnl.gov

ISA\*00\* \*01\*000000200 \*ZZ\*WORDTECH \*ZZ\*GATEC

\*930318\*2126\*U\*00301\*000092024\*0\*P\*^

GS\*RR\*WORDTECH\*GATEC\*930318\*2126\*92025\*X\*003010

ST\*843\*001080001

BQR\*00\*F3360193TC207001\*930311\*098\*930318\*BI

N1\*ZZ\*WORD TECH\*33\*9T929

PO1\*1\*25\*ST\*30.14\*\*FT\*7530\*SI\*5943\*SI\*2675\*SI\*2677\*SI\*2678\*SI\*2761\*SI\*5112\*SW

\*7530P0047992300\*MG\*1201\*MF\*GEODEX

CTT\*1\*25

AMT\*TT\*753.50

SE\*7\*001080001

GE\*1\*92025

IEA\*1\*000092024

====Original CDF=====

%Xbegin

%Xpurpose quote

%Xdestination host bcas

```
%Xversion
            3/22/93
%Xdate
%Xfilename qte
%Document.UTNNumber
                         F3360193TC207001
%Document.DocumentType 843
%Quote.RFQRefNumber
                         F3360193TC207001
%Quote.RFQEffectiveDate 930311
%Quote.QuoteEffectiveDate 930318
%Quote.QuoteType BI
%Quote.IsSmallBusiness
%Quote.CageCode
                   9T929
%Quote.SellerName WORD TECH
%OuoteLineItem.ItemNumber
                               0001
%QuoteLineItem.Quantity
%QuoteLineItem.UnitOfMeasure
                               ST
%QuoteLineItem.UnitPrice 30.14
%QuoteLineItem.FedStockClass
                                7530
%QuoteLineItem.StdIndustrialClass 5943
%QuoteLineItem.StdIndustrialClass 2675
%QuoteLineItem.StdIndustrialClass 2677
%QuoteLineItem.StdIndustrialClass 2678
%QuoteLineItem.StdIndustrialClass 2761
%QuoteLineItem.StdIndustrialClass 5112
%Part.PartIdentifier SW
%Part.PartNumber
                   7530P0047992300
%Part.PartIdentifier
                  MG
%Part.PartNumber
                   1201
%Part.Manufacturer GEODEX
%Xend
====Trace output from 843CDFtoDB======
843CDFtoDB(): Unable to connect to the database
      ORA-01034: ORACLE not available
```

The other most common errors detected by 843DBtoCDF is an identification of an illegal cage code or government password in the received 843 transaction. In these cases a special message to gatecmgr is not initiated since an 824 document will be sent back to the vendor noting the problem. These messages can be reviewed by searching for 824 messages in the archive mail box (located at /usr/spool/mail on the Transport Machine). Examples of such messages are shown below,

From gatec Fri Jan 7 00:03:00 1994

ORA-07318: smsget: open error when op

Return-Path: <gatec>

Received: by gatec.wpafb.af.mil (4.1/SMI-4.1) id AA16986; Fri, 7 Jan 94 00:02:57 EST

Date: Fri, 7 Jan 94 00:02:57 EST

From: gatec

Message-Id: <9401070502.AA16986@gatec.wpafb.af.mil> To: <@ec099.llnl.gov:/O=EDIEXPRESS2-3/@sm2ge.llnl.gov> Subject: 824:F3360194T6915001

Status: N

ISA\*00\* \*00\* \*ZZ\*GATEC \*ZZ\*PUBLIC

\*940107\*0003\*U\*00301\*000150109\*0\*P\*^

GS\*AG\*GATEC\*KY72277\*940107\*0003\*150110\*X\*003010

ST\*824\*150111

BGN\*00\*F3360194T6915001\*940107\*0003

OTI\*TR\*PR\*F3360194T6915001\*KY72277\*GATEC\*931227\*1438\*0075688\*0075688\*843

REF\*65\*F3360194T6915001

TED\*007\*[000001458] IS THE INCORRECT PASSWORD FOR [TMPT0633]

SE\*6\*150111 GE\*1\*150110 IEA\*1\*000150109

From gatec Fri Jan 7 00:04:47 1994

Return-Path: <gatec>

Received: by gatec.wpafb.af.mil (4.1/SMI-4.1) id AA17362; Fri, 7 Jan 94 00:04:45 EST

Date: Fri, 7 Jan 94 00:04:45 EST

From: gatec

Message-Id: <9401070504.AA17362@gatec.wpafb.af.mil> To: <@ec099.llnl.gov:/O=EDIEXPRESS2-3/@sm2ge.llnl.gov>

Subject: 824:F3360194T6950001

Status: N

ISA\*00\* \*00\* \*ZZ\*GATEC \*ZZ\*PUBLIC

\*940107\*0005\*U\*00301\*000150112\*0\*P\*^

GS\*AG\*GATEC\*KY36514\*940107\*0005\*150113\*X\*003010

ST\*824\*150114

BGN\*00\*F3360194T6950001\*940107\*0005

OTI\*TR\*PR\*F3360194T6950001\*KY36514\*GATEC\*940103\*1256\*0076089\*0076089\*843

REF\*65\*F3360194T6950001

TED\*007\*[TMPT0460] IS NOT A VALID CAGE CODE

SE\*6\*150114 GE\*1\*150113 IEA\*1\*000150112

All other *843CDFtoDB* failures would imply errors in the GATEC application software. They should be reported to a GATEC application engineer immediately for evaluation.

# 5.7 864CDFtoDB Diagnostic Messages

As with 843CDFtoDB, the most common diagnostic message produced by 864CDFtoDB is an indication that the database is down The *inbound* script will requeue the quote and attempt to re-

run 864DBtoCDF at a later time.

The other most common errors detected by 864DBtoCDF is an identification of an illegal cage code or government password in the received 864 transaction. In these cases a special message to gatecmgr is not initiated since an 824 document will be sent back to the vendor noting the problem. These messages can be reviewed by searching for 824 messages in the archive mail box (located at /usr/spool/mail on the Transport Machine).

All other 864CDFtoDB failures would imply errors in the GATEC application software. They should be reported to a GATEC application engineer immediately for evaluation.

#### 5.8 824CDFtoDB Diagnostic Messages

As with 843CDFtoDB and 864CDFtoDB, the most common diagnostic message produced by 824CDFtoDB is an indication that the database is down The *inbound* script will requeue the quote and attempt to re-run 824DBtoCDF at a later time.

All other 824CDFtoDB failures would imply errors in the GATEC application software. They should be reported to a GATEC application engineer immediately for evaluation.

#### 5.9 997 Diagnostic Messages

The GATEC 997 checker (a translation located on the Transport Machine at /home/gatec2/lib/gst/x12to997.3010) validates that incoming transactions have the correct syntax for their transaction type. One of the most common syntax errors detected on incoming transactions involve an improperly specified date. An example message is shown below,

Date: Thu, 6 Jan 94 23:33:55 EST From: daemon@gatec.wpafb.af.mil

Message-Id: <9401070433.AA11371@gatec.wpafb.af.mil>

To: gatecmgr@gatec.wpafb.af.mil Subject: diag: Failed syntax check

Status: O

Original Message:

>From hmgr@ec099.llnl.gov Thu Jan 6 22:25:38 1994

Return-Path: <hmgr@ec099.llnl.gov>

Received: from ec099.llnl.gov by gatec.wpafb.af.mil (4.1/SMI-4.1)

id AA24152; Thu, 6 Jan 94 22:25:38 EST

Received: by ec099.llnl.gov (4.1/LLNL-1.18)

id AA12090; Thu, 6 Jan 94 18:40:32 PST

Date: Thu, 6 Jan 94 18:40:32 PST

Message-Id: <9401070240.AA12090@ec099.llnl.gov>

X-Epm-Stub: Thu, 6 Jan 94 18:40:32 PST

To: F33601@ec099.llnl.gov Subject: 843:F3360194T7111001

>From: EDIEXPRESS2-3 </O=EDIEXPRESS2-3/@sm2ge.llnl.gov>

X-Hub\_Router: <@ec099.llnl.gov:cole@ec099.llnl.gov>

ISA\*00\* \*01\*000000606 \*ZZ\*PUBLIC \*ZZ\*GATEC

\*940105\*1624\*U\*00301\*000612510\*0\*P\*^

GS\*RR\*KY64957\*GATEC\*940105\*1617\*0077092\*X\*003010

ST\*843\*0077092

BQR\*00\*F3360194T7111001\*940103

REF\*PR\*F3360194T7111001

**REF\*DX\*GATEC** 

ITD\*08\*\*0\*\*10

ITD\*08\*\*0\*\*20

ITD\*08\*\*0\*\*30

ITD\*08\*\*0\*\*90

PWK\*FD\*EL\*\*DS

N1\*VN\*KRASITY'S MEDICAL & SURGICAL SUPPLY\*91\*KY64957

N3\*1825 BAILEY AVE

N4\*DEARBORN\*MI\*48124

N1\*ZZ\*\*33\*2T036

PER\*SU\*NINA KRASITY\*TE\*(313)274-2210

PO1\*1\*6\*EA\*6.43

REF\*CR\*v797p-3806i

DTM\*036\*961293

CTT\*1

AMT\*TT\*38.58

SE\*20\*0077092

GE\*1\*0077092

IEA\*1\*000612510

Bad 997:

ISA\*00\* \*00\* \*ZZ\*GATEC \*ZZ\*PUBLIC

\*940106\*2333\*U\*00301\*200675389\*0\*P\*^

GS\*FA\*GATEC\*KY64957\*940106\*2333\*200675390\*X\*003010

ST\*997\*200675391

AK1\*RR\*0077092

AK2\*843\*0077092

AK3\*DTM\*17

AK4\*2\*373\*8\*961293

AK5\*R\*5

AK9\*R\*1\*1\*0

SE\*8\*200675391

GE\*1\*200675390

#### IEA\*1\*200675389

Whether there is a syntax error or not, the 997 translation will construct the 997 acknowledgment (indicating no error or error as shown in the example above) and then place it in a SMTP envelope. *Inbound* then shells the 997 checker output to mail the 997.

All GATEC outbound transactions are also run through the 997 checker. If an error is found, the 997 message is sent to the gatecmgr with a subject of "diag: Failed syntax check." This implies an error with GATEC application software and thus a GATEC application engineer should be consulted immediately to evaluate the problem.

# 5.10 *ack\_cron\_pl* Diagnostic Messages

Every day *ack\_cron\_pl* will send a message to the gatecmgr indicating the UTNs of transactions which have not been acknowledged, and the UTNs of transactions which have been rejected by the VANs. An example message is shown below. This message should be reviewed every day. Appropriate action should be initiated to remedy all discrepancies.

Date: Tue, 21 Dec 93 06:10:33 EST

From: gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil (GATEC manager)

Subject: Rejected/Overdue report

To: cole@tis.llnl.gov, gatecmgr@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil

Message-ID: <9312211110.AA03487@gatecb.wpafb.af.mil>

Status: RO

X12 transactions overdue as of today: 86

The 836 with UTN F3360193TK811002 and Group Control Number 137959 that was issued on 15-DEC-93 has not been acknowledged.

Acknowledgments must be received within 120 hours.

The 850 with UTN F3360193TK811002 and Group Control Number 137962 that was issued on 15-DEC-93 has not been acknowledged.

Acknowledgments must be received within 120 hours.

The 836 with UTN F3360193TK811002

and Group Control Number 137965 that was issued on 15-DEC-93 has not been acknowledged. Acknowledgments must be received within 120 hours.

The 850 with UTN F3360193TK811002 and Group Control Number 137968 that was issued on 15-DEC-93 has not been acknowledged. Acknowledgments must be received within 120 hours.

The 836 with UTN F3360193TK811002 and Group Control Number 137971 that was issued on 15-DEC-93 has not been acknowledged. Acknowledgments must be received within 120 hours.

The 850 with UTN F3360193TK811002 and Group Control Number 137974 that was issued on 15-DEC-93 has not been acknowledged. Acknowledgments must be received within 120 hours.

The 836 with UTN F3360194T3650001 and Group Control Number 137977 that was issued on 15-DEC-93 has not been acknowledged. Acknowledgments must be received within 120 hours.

The 850 with UTN F3360194T3650001 and Group Control Number 137980 that was issued on 15-DEC-93 has not been acknowledged. Acknowledgments must be received within 120 hours.

The 836 with UTN F3360194T4225001 and Group Control Number 137983 that was issued on 15-DEC-93 has not been acknowledged.

Acknowledgments must be received within 120 hours.

The 850 with UTN F3360194T4225001 and Group Control Number 137986 that was issued on 15-DEC-93 has not been acknowledged. Acknowledgments must be received within 120 hours.

The 836 with UTN F3360194T1684001 and Group Control Number 137989 that was issued on 15-DEC-93 has not been acknowledged.

Acknowledgments must be received within 120 hours.

The 850 with UTN F3360194T1684001 and Group Control Number 137992 that was issued on 15-DEC-93 has not been acknowledged. Acknowledgments must be received within 120 hours.

The 836 with UTN F3360194T1684001 and Group Control Number 137995 that was issued on 15-DEC-93 has not been acknowledged. Acknowledgments must be received within 120 hours.

The 850 with UTN F3360194T1684001 and Group Control Number 137998 that was issued on 15-DEC-93 has not been acknowledged. Acknowledgments must be received within 120 hours.

The 836 with UTN F3360194T1684001 and Group Control Number 138001 that was issued on 15-DEC-93 has not been acknowledged. Acknowledgments must be received within 120 hours.

The 850 with UTN F3360194T1684001 and Group Control Number 138004 that was issued on 15-DEC-93 has not been acknowledged. Acknowledgments must be received within 120 hours.

# SECTION 6 Other Files

This section discusses the rest of the files that GATEC generates.

# 6.1 Client and Server Log Files

Both the client and the application (server) write out log files which document session interaction. The client log file is written into the /tmp directory and has a name in the form of:

dui.log.gatecb.dui.<four\_digit\_number>

The server log file is located in the PC directory that contains the windui application. Its name is

dui.log

If the application crashes it is important that it not be re-started until the log files on both the SPARC and the PC are copied to a different name. The log files should then be referred to a GATEC application engineer for further analysis The log files should then be referred to a GATEC application engineer for further analysis

Note that similar log files are written out for the lead buyer and system parameter applications, i.e.,

dui.log.lead\_buyer.dui.<four\_digit\_number>

dui.log.sys\_param.dui.<four\_digit\_number>

The log files on the PC are called dui.log for both applications.

#### 6.2 Understanding CDF's

Common Data Format files are ASCII flat files which contain data that are used for generation of X12 transactions or upload of information to BCAS. The GATEC system generates CDFs. They are described below:

840<four\_alpha\_chars><5\_digits> e.g. 840PCAa03582 used to generate 840

850<four\_alpha\_chars><5\_digits> e.g. 850HAAa20250 used to generate 850

836<four\_alpha\_chars><5\_digits> e.g. 836WAAa18576 used to generate 836

864<four\_alpha\_chars><5\_digits> e.g. 864PLLt19875 used to generate 864

BCAS<four\_alpha\_chars><5\_digits> e.g. BCASLAAa06366 used to convey award upload information to BCAS.

These files are originally placed in /home/gatec2/tmp on the Database Machine. Two other CDF's are produced that reside in /var/tmp on the Database Machine

<four\_alpha\_chars><five\_digits> e.g. baaa15637 used to convey item upload information to BCAS

<four\_alpha\_chars><five\_digits> e.g. paaa02286 used to convey
cancel award information to BCAS

#### 6.2.1 Content of 840 CDF

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The 840 CDF contains the contents of the following data from the indicated tables:

Acquisition.AssignedBuyer Acquisition.Priority Acquisition.PurchaseReqNumber Acquisition.RFQNumber Acquisition.ReviewStatus Acquisition.SiteID Acquisition.SolicitationNumber Acquisition.UTNNumber

Document.DocumentID
Document.DocumentStatus
Document.DocumentType
Document.EffectiveDate
Document.UTNNumber

DocumentSent.CheckAcknowledgement

DocumentSent.DocumentID

DocumentSent.GroupControlNumber

DocumentSent.InterchangeControlNumber

DocumentSent.IssueDate

Document Sent. Transaction Set Control Number

GSDefaults.ApplicationReceiver

GSDefaults.ApplicationSender

GSDefaults.DocumentType

GSDefaults.FunctionalID

GSDefaults.GroupControlNumber

GSDefaults.GroupDate

GSDefaults.GroupTime

GSDefaults.InterchangeVersion

GSDefaults.ResponsibleAgency

ISADefaults.AckRequested

ISADefaults.Authorization

ISADefaults.AuthorizationID

ISADefaults.ControlNumber

ISADefaults.DocumentType

ISADefaults.ElementSeparator

ISADefaults.InterchangeCtlStds

ISADefaults.InterchangeDate

ISADefaults.InterchangeTime

ISADefaults.InterchangeVersion

ISADefaults.ReceiverID

ISADefaults.ReceiverIDQualifier

ISADefaults.Security

ISADefaults.SecurityID

ISADefaults.SenderID

ISADefaults.SenderIDQualifier

ISADefaults.SubElementSeparator

ISADefaults.TestIndicator

Item.ManufacturerName

Item.ManufacturerPart

Item.StockNumber

Part.PartIdentifier

Part.PartNumber

RegForQuote.Amended

RegForQuote.DeliveredByDate

ReqForQuote.DocumentID

ReqForQuote.PurchaseReqNumber

RegForQuote.QuoteReceivedByDate

RegForQuote.SolicitationNumber

ReqFor Quote Line Item. Document ID

RegForQuoteLineItem.FSCSuffix

ReqForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription01
ReqForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription02
ReqForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription03
ReqForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription03
ReqForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription04
ReqForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription05
ReqForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription06
ReqForQuoteLineItem.ItemNumber
ReqForQuoteLineItem.PartListIncluded
ReqForQuoteLineItem.PurchaseReqNumber
ReqForQuoteLineItem.Quantity
ReqForQuoteLineItem.ShipToZIP
ReqForQuoteLineItem.UnitOfMeasure
ReqForQuoteLineItem.UnitPrice

Vendor.ApplicationReceiverID Vendor.CageCode Vendor.DateAssigned Vendor.ElectronicMailAddress Vendor.GovtPassword Vendor.InterchangeReceiverID Vendor.InterchangeReceiverQualifier Vendor.VendorID

Other tables that may be used in special circumstances include: clause, measurementData, and shippingDocPackage. The translator then places this information into an 840 X12 format.

An example of an 840 CDF is shown below,

```
%Xbegin
            rfq
%Xpurpose
%Xfilename 840CDF
%Xdestination host translator
%Xversion
            93 12 22
%Xdate
#***** start of data elements ******
#***** Acquisition table ******
%Acquisition. Assigned Buyer
                                G<sub>1</sub>T
% Acquisition. Priority
                         13
% Acquisition. Purchase Reg Number FC230033559059
% Acquisition.RFQNumber 94T6806
%Acquisition.ReviewStatus UI
%Acquisition.SiteID F33601
% Acquisition. Solicitation Number
                                94T6806
% Acquisition. UTNNumber F3360194T6806002
#****** Clause table ******
#***** Document table ******
%Document.DocumentID
                         330994
                                00
%Document.DocumentStatus
%Document.DocumentType 840
```

```
%Document.EffectiveDate
                         93 12 22
%Document.UTNNumber
                         F3360194T6806002
#****** DocumentSent table ******
%DocumentSent.CheckAcknowledgement Y
%DocumentSent.DocumentID
                               330994
%DocumentSent.GroupControlNumber
                                     000143119
%DocumentSent.InterchangeControlNumber
                                           000143121
%DocumentSent.IssueDate 9312220805
%DocumentSent.TransactionSetControlNumber
                                            000143120
#***** GSDefaults table ******
%GSDefaults.ApplicationReceiver
                               RECEIVER
%GSDefaults.ApplicationSender
                               GATEC
%GSDefaults.DocumentType
                               840
%GSDefaults.FunctionalID RQ
%GSDefaults.GroupControlNumber
                                     99999999
%GSDefaults.GroupDate
                         93 07 06
%GSDefaults.GroupTime
                         93 07 06
%GSDefaults.InterchangeVersion
                               003010
%GSDefaults.ResponsibleAgency
#****** ISADefaults table ******
%ISADefaults.AckRequested
                               0
%ISADefaults.Authorization
%ISADefaults.AuthorizationID
                               00
%ISADefaults.ControlNumber
                               99999999
                               840
%ISADefaults.DocumentType
%ISADefaults.ElementSeparator
%ISADefaults.InterchangeCtlStds
                               IJ
%ISADefaults.InterchangeDate
                               93 07 06
%ISADefaults.InterchangeTime
                               93 07 06
%ISADefaults.InterchangeVersion
                               00301
%ISADefaults.ReceiverID
                         RECEIVER
%ISADefaults.ReceiverIDOualifier ZZ
%ISADefaults.Security
%ISADefaults.SecurityID
                         00
%ISADefaults.SenderID
                         GATEC
%ISADefaults.SenderIDQualifier
                                     Λ
%ISADefaults.SubElementSeparator
%ISADefaults.TestIndicator P
#***** Item table *****
%Item.ManufacturerName
                         CURRIES DOOR CO
%Item.ManufacturerPart
                         707 SERIES
%Item.StockNumber 5670LAB229R
#***** Measurement Data table ******
#***** Part table ******
%Part.PartIdentifier
                  SW
                  5670LAB229R
%Part.PartNumber
#***** ReqForQuote table ******
%RegForQuote.Amended
%RegForQuote.DeliveredByDate
                               94 01 31
%RegForQuote.DocumentID
                               330994
%RegForQuote.PurchaseRegNumber
                                     FC230033559059
```

```
%ReqForQuote.QuoteReceivedByDate
                                     93 12 27
%ReaForOuote.SolicitationNumber 94T6806
#****** ReqForQuoteLineItem table *******
%RegForQuoteLineItem.DocumentID
                                      330994
%RegForQuoteLineItem.FSCSuffix 02
%RegForQuoteLineItem.FedStockClass
                                     5670
%RegForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription01
                                            DOOR, PRE-HUNG; FULLFLUSH;
METAL:
%RegForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription02
                                            SINGLE; SIZE 3'4"X7'0";
                                            1-3/4".18GA.RH-REVERSE 707
%RegForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription03
%ReqForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription04
                                            SERIES WITH EXISTING OPENING
ANCHER
%RegForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription05
                                            16GA.CALVANIZED STEEL
6"THROUTW/BB
                                            HINGES: 4-1/2"X4-1/2"/1-1/2PARS.
%RegForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription06
%ReqForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription07
                                            W/GOVT.161CYLINDRICAL LOCK.
%RegForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription08
                                            MFR: CURRIES DOOR CO.
%RegForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription09
                                            P/N: 707 SERIES
                                     0002
%RegForQuoteLineItem.ItemNumber
%RegForQuoteLineItem.PartListIncluded
%ReqForQuoteLineItem.PurchaseReqNumber
                                            FC230033559059
%RegForQuoteLineItem.Quantity
%ReqForQuoteLineItem.ShipToZIP
                                     454335000
%RegForQuoteLineItem.UnitOfMeasure
                                     EA
%RegForQuoteLineItem.UnitPrice
#******* ShippingDocPackage table *******
#***** Vendor table ******
% Vendor. Application Receiver ID
                               PUBLIC
%Vendor.CageCode PUBLIC
% Vendor. Date Assigned
                         93 07 06
% Vendor. Electronic Mail Address
                               <@ec099.llnl.gov:live_public@ec099.llnl.gov>
% Vendor.GovtPassword
% Vendor.InterchangeReceiverID
                               PUBLIC
% Vendor. Interchange Receiver Qualifier
                                     77.
% Vendor. VendorID 1410
%Xend
```

#### 6.2.2 Content of 850 CDF

The 850 CDF contains the contents of the following data from the indicated tables:

Acquisition.AssignedBuyer Acquisition.PurchaseReqNumber Acquisition.RFQNumber Acquisition.SiteID Acquisition.SolicitationNumber Acquisition.UTNNumber

Rev ID: Release 2

Award.Acknowledgement Award.BusEntityCageCode Award.BusEntityName Award.DPASPriority Award.DocumentID Award.EffectiveDate Award.PurchaseOrderNumber Award.PurchaseReqNumber Award.RFQReferenceNumber Award.RequiredDeliveryDate

AwardLineItem.BillToAddress AwardLineItem.BillToCity AwardLineItem.BillToName AwardLineItem.BillToZIP AwardLineItem.BuyerAddress AwardLineItem.BuyerCity AwardLineItem.BuyerName AwardLineItem.BuyerZIP AwardLineItem.DPASPriority AwardLineItem.DeliveryDate AwardLineItem.DocumentID AwardLineItem.FedStockClass AwardLineItem.ItemNumber AwardLineItem.PartListIncluded AwardLineItem.PurchaseVariation AwardLineItem.Quantity AwardLineItem.ShipToAddress AwardLineItem.ShipToCity AwardLineItem.ShipToName AwardLineItem.ShipToZIP AwardLineItem.TotalLineAmount AwardLineItem.UnitOfMeasure AwardLineItem.UnitPrice

BCASAward.CompetitionCode BCASAward.NegotiationAuthority BCASAward.OrderStatements BCASAward.PIIN BCASAward.UTNNumber BCASAward.VendorCode

Document.DocumentID
Document.DocumentStatus
Document.DocumentType
Document.ReviewStatus
Document.UTNNumber

DocumentSent.CheckAcknowledgement DocumentSent.DocumentID

DocumentSent.GroupControlNumber DocumentSent.InterchangeControlNumber DocumentSent.IssueDate DocumentSent.TransactionSetControlNumber

FreeOnBoard.FOBType FreeOnBoard.PaperworkID

GSDefaults.ApplicationReceiver GSDefaults.ApplicationSender GSDefaults.DocumentType GSDefaults.FunctionalID GSDefaults.GroupControlNumber GSDefaults.GroupDate GSDefaults.GroupTime GSDefaults.InterchangeVersion GSDefaults.ResponsibleAgency

ISADefaults.AckRequested ISADefaults.Authorization ISADefaults.AuthorizationID ISADefaults.ControlNumber ISADefaults.DocumentType ISADefaults.ElementSeparator ISADefaults.InterchangeCtlStds ISADefaults.InterchangeDate ISADefaults.InterchangeTime ISADefaults.InterchangeVersion ISADefaults.ReceiverID ISADefaults.ReceiverIDQualifier ISADefaults.Security ISADefaults.SecurityID ISADefaults.SenderID ISADefaults.SenderIDQualifier ISADefaults.SubElementSeparator ISADefaults.TestIndicator

Part.DocumentID Part.ItemNumber Part.PartIdentifier Part.PartNumber

Quote.CageCode Quote.DocumentID Quote.IsSmallBusiness Quote.RFQEffectiveDate Quote.SellerName

QuoteTerms.DiscountDueDays QuoteTerms.DiscountPercent QuoteTerms.DocumentID RegForQuoteLineItem.DocumentID

RegForQuoteLineItem.FSCSuffix

RegForQuoteLineItem.FedStockClass

ReqForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription01

ReqForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription02

RegForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription03

RegForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription04

ReqForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription05

ReqForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription06

RegForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription07

ReqForQuoteLineItem.ItemNumber

RegForQuoteLineItem.PartListIncluded

ReqForQuoteLineItem.PurchaseReqNumber

RegForQuoteLineItem.Quantity

ReqForQuoteLineItem.ShipToZIP

RegForQuoteLineItem.UnitOfMeasure

ReqForQuoteLineItem.UnitPrice

Vadrs.AwdDate

Vadrs.ConAdr1

Vadrs.ConAdr2

Vadrs.ConName

Vadrs.DunsNbr

Vadrs.FaxNbr

Vadrs.MinOrder

Vadrs.Phone

Vadrs.SolDate

Vadrs.TaxId

Vadrs. Vendor

Vadrs.Zip

Vendor.ApplicationReceiverID

Vendor.CageCode

Vendor.DateAssigned

Vendor.ElectronicMailAddress

Vendor.GovtPassword

Vendor.InterchangeReceiverID

Vendor.InterchangeReceiverQualifier

Vendor. Temporary

Other tables that may be used in special circumstances include: contact, measurementData, and relatedPaperwork.

An example of an 850 CDF is shown below,

%Xbegin

%Xpurpose Award

%Xfilename 850CDF

%Xdestination host translator

```
%Xversion
            93 12 01
%Xdate
#***** start of data elements ******
#***** Acquisition table ******
%Acquisition.AssignedBuyer
% Acquisition. Purchase Req Number FB 230032735417
%Acquisition.RFQNumber 94T3213
%Acquisition.SiteID F33601
%Acquisition.SolicitationNumber
                              94T3213
% Acquisition. UTNNumber F3360194T3213005
#****** Award table ******
%Award.Acknowledgement NA
%Award.BusEntityCageCode
                              0N431
%Award.BusEntityName
                        Frank Parson's Paper Co. Inc.
%Award.DPASPriority
%Award.DocumentID
                        273192
                        93 12 01
%Award.EffectiveDate
%Award.PurchaseOrderNumber
                              94M9233
%Award.PurchaseReqNumber
                              FB230032735417
%Award.RFQReferenceNumber
                              F3360194T3213005
%Award.RequiredDeliveryDate
                              94 01 03
#***** AwardLineItem table ******
%AwardLineItem.BillToAddress
                              DAO-DE WP/FSM 1940 ALLBROOK DR
                              STE 2 WRIGHT-PATTERSON OH
%AwardLineItem.BillToCity
%AwardLineItem.BillToName
                              ACCOUNTING & FINANCE OFFICE
%AwardLineItem.BillToZIP 454335308
%AwardLineItem.BuyerAddress
                              1940 ALLBROOK DR STE 3
%AwardLineItem.BuyerCity
                              WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OH
%AwardLineItem.BuyerName
                              ASC/PKWOSA
%AwardLineItem.BuyerZIP 454335309
%AwardLineItem.DPASPriority
                              c9e
%AwardLineItem.DeliveryDate
                              94 01 03
%AwardLineItem.DocumentID
                              273192
%AwardLineItem.FedStockClass
                              7045
%AwardLineItem.ItemNumber
                              0001
%AwardLineItem.PartListIncluded
%AwardLineItem.PurchaseVariation
%AwardLineItem.Quantity 112
%AwardLineItem.ShipToAddress
                              5236 CHASE STREET
%AwardLineItem.ShipToCity
                              WRIGHT-PATTERSON AFB OH
                              BASE SUPPLY OFFICER BLDG 257
%AwardLineItem.ShipToName
%AwardLineItem.ShipToZIP
                              454335501
%AwardLineItem.TotalLineAmount
                                    504
%AwardLineItem.UnitOfMeasure
                              KT
%AwardLineItem.UnitPrice 4.5
#***** BCASAward table ******
%BCASAward.CompetitionCode
%BCASAward.NegotiationAuthority
                                    0301
                              EX IN SI GU
%BCASAward.OrderStatements
%BCASAward.PIIN 94M9233
%BCASAward.UTNNumber
                              F3360194T3213005
```

```
%BCASAward.VendorCode 0N4319S
#***** Contact table ******
#***** Document table ******
%Document.DocumentID
                         273192
%Document.DocumentStatus
                               00
%Document.DocumentType 850
%Document.ReviewStatus
                         UI
%Document.UTNNumber
                         F3360194T3213005
#****** DocumentSent table ******
%DocumentSent.CheckAcknowledgement Y
%DocumentSent.DocumentID
                               273192
%DocumentSent.GroupControlNumber
                                     000117439
%DocumentSent.InterchangeControlNumber
                                           000117441
%DocumentSent.IssueDate 9312010906
%DocumentSent.TransactionSetControlNumber
                                           000117440
#***** FreeOnBoard table ******
%FreeOnBoard.FOBType
%FreeOnBoard.PaperworkID
                               238004
#***** GSDefaults table ******
%GSDefaults.ApplicationReceiver
                               RECEIVER
%GSDefaults.ApplicationSender
                               GATEC
%GSDefaults.DocumentType
                               850
%GSDefaults.FunctionalID PO
%GSDefaults.GroupControlNumber
                                     99999999
%GSDefaults.GroupDate
                         93 07 06
%GSDefaults.GroupTime
                         93 07 06
                               003010
%GSDefaults.InterchangeVersion
%GSDefaults.ResponsibleAgency
#****** ISADefaults table ******
%ISADefaults.AckRequested
                               0
%ISADefaults.Authorization
%ISADefaults.AuthorizationID
                               00
                               99999999
%ISADefaults.ControlNumber
%ISADefaults.DocumentType
                               850
%ISADefaults.ElementSeparator
%ISADefaults.InterchangeCtlStds
                               U
                               93 07 06
%ISADefaults.InterchangeDate
%ISADefaults.InterchangeTime
                               93 07 06
%ISADefaults.InterchangeVersion
                               00301
%ISADefaults.ReceiverID
                        RECEIVER
%ISADefaults.ReceiverIDOualifier ZZ
%ISADefaults.Security
%ISADefaults.SecurityID
                         00
%ISADefaults.SenderID
                         GATEC
%ISADefaults.SenderIDQualifier
                               ZZ
                                     Λ
%ISADefaults.SubElementSeparator
%ISADefaults.TestIndicator P
#***** Measurement Data table ******
#***** Part table ******
%Part.DocumentID
                  190666
%Part.ItemNumber
                  0005
```

```
%Part.PartIdentifier SW
                  7045P40263
%Part.PartNumber
#***** Quote table ******
%Quote.CageCode
                  0N431
                         214160
%Quote.DocumentID
%Quote.IsSmallBusiness
                         Y
%Quote.RFQEffectiveDate 93 11 09
%Quote.SellerName Frank Parson's Paper Co. Inc.
#****** QuoteTerms table ******
#***** RelatedPaperwork table ******
#***** RegForQuoteLineItem table ******
%ReqForQuoteLineItem.DocumentID
                                     190666
%ReaForOuoteLineItem.FSCSuffix 03
%RegForQuoteLineItem.FedStockClass
                                     7045
                                           CLEANING KIT. FOR 3.5" DISK DRIVE.
%RegForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription01
                                           CONTAINS 1 EA 3.5" HEAD CLEANING
%RegForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription02
%RegForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription03
                                            DISKETTE, 1 1/20Z BOTTLE
CLEANING
%RegForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription04
                                            SOLUTION, INSTRUCTION BOOK, AND
STORAGE
%RegForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription05
                                            CADDY.
%RegForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription06
                                            MFR: 3M
                                            P/N: 40263
%ReqForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription07
%ReaForOuoteLineItem.ItemDescription08
                                            HAZARDOUS-MSDS REQUIRED
%RegForQuoteLineItem.ItemNumber
                                     0005
%RegForQuoteLineItem.PartListIncluded
%RegForQuoteLineItem.PurchaseRegNumber
                                           FB230032735417
%RegForQuoteLineItem.Quantity
%RegForQuoteLineItem.ShipToZIP
                                     454335501
%RegForQuoteLineItem.UnitOfMeasure
                                     KT
%RegForQuoteLineItem.UnitPrice
#******** Vadrs table *******
#***** Vendor table ******
% Vendor. Application Receiver ID
                               FK60138
% Vendor. Cage Code 0N431
%Vendor.DateAssigned
                         93 10 26
% Vendor. Electronic Mail Address
                               <@ec099.llnl.gov:/O=EDIEXPRESS2-3/@sm2ge.llnl.gov>
%Vendor.GovtPassword
                         000001111
% Vendor.InterchangeReceiverID
                               PUBLIC
% Vendor.InterchangeReceiverQualifier
                                     ZZ
% Vendor. Temporary Y
%Xend
```

#### 6.2.3 Content of 836 CDF

The 836 CDF is identical to the 850 CDF except Vadrs, and Vendor tables have no applicability since the transaction will be sent to public.

## An example of an 836 CDF is shown below,

```
%Xbegin
            Award_Summary
%Xpurpose
%Xfilename
            836CDF
%Xdestination host translator
%Xversion
%Xdate
            93 12 01
#***** start of data elements ******
#***** Acquisition table ******
%Acquisition. Assigned Buyer
                              G1D
% Acquisition. Purchase Reg Number FB 230032734292
% Acquisition.RFQNumber 94T3257
%Acquisition.SiteID F33601
% Acquisition. Solicitation Number
                              94T3257
% Acquisition.UTNNumber F3360194T3257007
#****** Award table ******
%Award.Acknowledgement NA
%Award.BusEntityCageCode
                              TMPT0486
%Award.BusEntityName
                        OFFICE FURNITURE CONCEPTS
%Award.DPASPriority
                        c9e
%Award.DocumentID
                        273555
%Award.EffectiveDate
                        93 12 01
%Award.PurchaseOrderNumber
                              94M9268
%Award.PurchaseReqNumber
                              FB230032734292
%Award.RFQReferenceNumber
                              F3360194T3257007
%Award.RequiredDeliveryDate
                              93 12 21
#***** AwardLineItem table ******
%AwardLineItem.BillToAddress
                              DAO-DE WP/FSM 1940 ALLBROOK DR
                              STE 2 WRIGHT-PATTERSON OH
%AwardLineItem.BillToCity
%AwardLineItem.BillToName
                              ACCOUNTING & FINANCE OFFICE
%AwardLineItem.BillToZIP 454335308
%AwardLineItem.BuyerAddress
                              1940 ALLBROOK DR STE 3
%AwardLineItem.BuverCity
                              WRIGHT PATTERSON AFB OH
%AwardLineItem.BuyerName
                              ASC/PKWOSA
%AwardLineItem.BuyerZIP 454335309
%AwardLineItem.DPASPriority
                              c9e
%AwardLineItem.DeliveryDate
                              93 12 21
%AwardLineItem.DocumentID
                              273555
%AwardLineItem.FedStockClass
                              7110
%AwardLineItem.ItemNumber
                              0001
%AwardLineItem.PartListIncluded
%AwardLineItem.PurchaseVariation
%AwardLineItem.Quantity 6
%AwardLineItem.ShipToAddress
                              5236 CHASE STREET
%AwardLineItem.ShipToCity
                              WRIGHT-PATTERSON AFB OH
%AwardLineItem.ShipToName
                              BASE SUPPLY OFFICER BLDG 257
%AwardLineItem.ShipToZIP
                              454335501
%AwardLineItem.TotalLineAmount
                                    22.14
%AwardLineItem.UnitOfMeasure
                              EA
```

```
%AwardLineItem.UnitPrice 3.69
#***** BCASAward table ******
%BCASAward.CompetitionCode
%BCASAward.NegotiationAuthority
                                     0301
%BCASAward.OrderStatements
                              EX IN SI GU
%BCASAward.PIIN 94M9268
%BCASAward.UTNNumber
                               F3360194T3257007
%BCASAward.VendorCode 2J7209S
#***** Contact table ******
#***** Document table ******
%Document.DocumentID
                        273556
%Document.DocumentStatus
                              00
%Document.DocumentType 836
%Document.ReviewStatus
                        Ш
%Document.UTNNumber
                        F3360194T3257007
#****** DocumentSent table ******
%DocumentSent.CheckAcknowledgement Y
%DocumentSent.DocumentID
                               273556
%DocumentSent.GroupControlNumber
                                     000117886
%DocumentSent.InterchangeControlNumber
                                           000117888
%DocumentSent.IssueDate 9312011240
%DocumentSent.TransactionSetControlNumber
                                           000117887
#***** FreeOnBoard table ******
%FreeOnBoard.FOBType
                               238064
%FreeOnBoard.PaperworkID
#****** GSDefaults table ******
%GSDefaults.ApplicationReceiver
                              RECEIVER
%GSDefaults.ApplicationSender
                               GATEC
%GSDefaults.DocumentType
                               836
%GSDefaults.FunctionalID RO
%GSDefaults.GroupControlNumber
                                     99999999
%GSDefaults.GroupDate
                        93 07 06
%GSDefaults.GroupTime
                        93 07 06
%GSDefaults.InterchangeVersion
                              003010
%GSDefaults.ResponsibleAgency
#****** ISADefaults table *******
%ISADefaults.AckRequested
                              0
%ISADefaults.Authorization
%ISADefaults.AuthorizationID
                               00
                               99999999
%ISADefaults.ControlNumber
                               836
%ISADefaults.DocumentType
%ISADefaults.ElementSeparator
%ISADefaults.InterchangeCtlStds
                               U
%ISADefaults.InterchangeDate
                               93 07 06
%ISADefaults.InterchangeTime
                               93 07 06
%ISADefaults.InterchangeVersion
                              00301
%ISADefaults.ReceiverID
                        RECEIVER
%ISADefaults.ReceiverIDOualifier ZZ
%ISADefaults.Security
%ISADefaults.SecurityID
                        00
%ISADefaults.SenderID
                        GATEC
```

```
%ISADefaults.SenderIDQualifier
                              ZZ
%ISADefaults.SubElementSeparator
%ISADefaults.TestIndicator P
#***** Measurement Data table ******
#***** Part table ******
%Part.DocumentID
                  192939
%Part.ItemNumber
                  0007
%Part.PartIdentifier
                  SW
%Part.PartNumber
                  7110PFH-CMV48
#***** Quote table ******
%Quote.CageCode
                  TMPT0486
%Quote.DocumentID
                        245627
%Ouote.IsSmallBusiness
                         Y
%Quote.RFQEffectiveDate 93 11 16
%Quote.SellerName OFFICE FURNITURE CONCEPTS
#****** QuoteTerms table ******
#***** RelatedPaperwork table ******
#***** RegForQuoteLineItem table ******
%RegForQuoteLineItem.DocumentID
                                     192939
%RegForQuoteLineItem.FSCSuffix 26
%RegForQuoteLineItem.FedStockClass
                                     7110
%RegForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription01
                                           CORD MANAGER, VERTICAL 48".
%ReqForQuoteLineItem.ItemDescription02
                                           MFR: CONTRACT SOURCE INC
%RegForOuoteLineItem.ItemDescription03
                                           P/N: FH-CMV48
%RegForQuoteLineItem.ItemNumber
                                     0007
%RegForQuoteLineItem.PartListIncluded
%RegForQuoteLineItem.PurchaseRegNumber
                                           FB230032734292
%RegForQuoteLineItem.Quantity
%RegForQuoteLineItem.ShipToZIP
                                     454335501
%RegForQuoteLineItem.UnitOfMeasure
                                     EA
%RegForQuoteLineItem.UnitPrice
#******** Vadrs table *******
%Vadrs.AwdDate
                  93292
%Vadrs.ConAdr1
                  4433 H BROOKFIELD CORPORATE DRIVE
%Vadrs.ConAdr2
                  CHANTILLY
                                        VA
%Vadrs.ConName
                  OFFICE FURNITURE CONCEPTS
%Vadrs.Contact
                  ANN AKINSON
% Vadrs. Duns Nbr
                  :2J720
%Vadrs.MinOrder
                  0000
%Vadrs.Phone
                  7038188772
%Vadrs.SolDate
                  93124
% Vadrs. Vendor
                  2J7209S
%Vadrs.Zip 220211691
#******* Vendor table ******
% Vendor. Application Receiver ID
                               KY63697
%Vendor.CageCode TMPT0486
                        93 11 05
%Vendor.DateAssigned
% Vendor. Electronic Mail Address
                               <@ec099.llnl.gov:/O=EDIEXPRESS2-3/@sm2ge.llnl.gov>
% Vendor.GovtPassword
                        000001205
% Vendor.InterchangeReceiverID
                              PUBLIC
% Vendor.InterchangeReceiverQualifier
                                     ZZ
```

#### 6.2.4 Content of BCAS CDF

The BCAS CDF used for upload of award information to BCAS contains the following parameters:

Xbegin Xpurpose Xfilename Xdestination\_host version Xdate 93 12 01 award\_date award\_piin buyer\_code another\_fed\_agency competition\_code confirm\_with contract\_number contractor\_signs discount\_days discount\_days\_net discount\_percent do\_rating fob\_code line\_item negotiation\_authority number\_of\_line\_items order\_statements purchase\_variation quantity required\_delivery\_date review\_accounting\_class solicitation number special\_contract\_order\_preparation supplemental\_description unit\_price variation\_percent vendor\_bcas\_code warranty\_clause\_days UTNNumber %Xend

An example of a BCAS CDF is shown below,

%Xbegin

%Xpurpose BCAS award %Xfilename **BCASCDF** %Xdestination host **BCAS** %Xversion %Xdate 93 12 01 #\*\*\*\*\* start of data elements \*\*\*\*\*\* %award date 93DEC01 %award piin 94F8152 %buyer code G1F %another\_fed\_agency N %competition code %confirm\_with GS02F1042A %contract number %contractor\_signs %discount days 10 %discount\_days\_net 30 %discount\_percent 1.000 %do rating c9e %fob code D %line item 0001 %negotiation\_authority INTG %number of line items 1 %order\_statements IN SI %purchase variation %quantity 00091 %required delivery date 93DEC27 %review\_accounting\_class %solicitation\_number 94T4381 % special contract order preparation N % supplemental description %unit price 7.4000 %variation\_percent %vendor bcas code 472279S %warranty\_clause\_days %UTNNumber F3360194T4381001 %Xend

### 6.2.5 Content of Item Upload CDF

The CDF used to upload item description changes to BCAS contains the following parameters:

Xbegin Xpurpose Xfilename Xdestination\_host Xversion Xdate stock\_number

suffix

unit\_of\_issue

primary\_customer

variation

automatic\_po

brand\_name\_sole\_source

commodity\_assignment

manufacturers\_name

manufacturers\_partno

description01

description02

description03

description04

description05

description06

description07

description08

description09

description10

description11

description12

description13

description14

description15

description16

description17

description 18

description19

description20

description21

description22

description23

description24

description25

description26

description27

description28

description29

description30

description31

description32

description33

description34

description35

description36

description37

description38

description39

description40

description41 description42 description43 description44 description46 description47 description48 %Xend

An example of an item upload CDF is shown below:

%Xbegin %Xpurpose item upload %Xfilename ITEM CDF %Xdestination host gatec.dui %Xversion 2.4 %Xdate 93 12 11 %stock number 1650010477140 %suffix %unit\_of\_issue %bsp %primary\_customer %variation %automatic\_po %brand name sole source %commodity\_assignment %manufacturers\_name MARQUARDT CO %manufacturers\_partno 100645-01 %description01 MARKET SURVEY %description02 BELLCRANK-BUSHING %description03 MFR: MARQUARDT CO %description04 P/N: 100645-01 %description05 %description06 %description07 %description08 %description09 %description10 %description11 %description12 %description13 %description14 %description15 %description16 %description17 %description18 %description19 %description20 %description21 %description22

%description23 %description24 %description25 %description26 %description27 %description28 %description29 %description30 %description31 %description32 %description33 %description34 %description35 %description36 %description37 %description38 %description39 %description40 %description41 %description42 %description43 %description44 %description45 %description46 %description47 %description48 %Xend

#### 6.2.6 Cancel Award CDF

The CDF used to upload award cancellation information to BCAS has the following parameters:

Xbegin
Xpurpose
Xfilename
Xdestination\_host
Xversion
Xdate
award\_piin
supp\_piin
activity\_no
cac
mod\_reason
effective\_date
f\_t\_d F
contractor\_signs
number\_of\_copies

suspense\_date cancel\_entirely cancel\_prs\_cust with\_reopen\_prs order\_statement01 order\_statement02 order statement03 order\_statement04 order statement05 order\_statement06 order statement07 order\_statement08 order statement09 order\_statement10 special\_prep new\_solit\_number contract number narrative01 narrative02 narrative03 narrative04 narrative05 narrative06 narrative07 narrative08 narrative09 narrative10 narrative11 narrative12 narrative13 narrative14 narrative15 narrative16 narrative17 narrative18 narrative19 narrative20 narrative21 narrative22 narrative23 narrative24 narrative25 narrative26 narrative27 narrative28 narrative29 narrative30 narrative31 narrative32 no\_reopen\_cr M w reasons

#### %Xend

An example of a cancel CDF is shown below,

```
%Xbegin
%Xpurpose
             cancel award upload
              CANCEL AWARD CDF
%Xfilename
%Xdestination host
                    gatec.dui
%Xversion
             2.4
%Xdate 93 12 15
%award_piin
             94M6132
%supp_piin
%activity no
%cac G1D
%mod reason
%effective_date 93DEC15
%f_t_d F
%contractor signs
                   N
%number of copies
%suspense date
%cancel_entirely
%cancel_prs_cust
                   N
%with_reopen_prs
%order statement01
%order statement02
%order statement03
%order_statement04
%order statement05
%order statement06
%order statement07
%order statement08
%order statement09
%order statement10
%special_prep N
%new solit number
%contract number
             1. SUBJECT ORDER IS HEREBY CANCELLED IN ITS
%narrative01
%narrative02
             ENTIRETY AS IT WAS AWARDED IN ERROR.
%narrative03
             2. AS A RESULT OF THE ABOVE MODIFICATION, THE
%narrative04
             TOTAL AMOUNT IS DECRASED FROM $43.47 TO $0.00
%narrative05
%narrative06
             FOR A TOTAL DECREASE OF $43.47.
%narrative07
%narrative08
%narrative09
%narrative10
%narrative11
%narrative12
%narrative13
%narrative14
%narrative15
```

%narrative16

%narrative17

%narrative18

%narrative19

7011a11at1vC1

%narrative20

%narrative21

%narrative22

%narrative23

%narrative24

%narrative25

%narrative26

%narrative27

%narrative28

7011a11a11v626

%narrative29

%narrative 30

%narrative31

%narrative32

%no\_reopen\_cr M

%w\_reasons

%Xend

### SECTION 7 Appendices

This section contains the appendices of this Guide.

#### 7.1 Appendix A - Directory Structure of the Database Machine

**/home** - Contains GATEC specific software

gatecmgr - The gatecmgr user directory.

gatec2 - The gatec2 user directory.

/home/gatec2 - Contains GATEC specific software.

bin - Will be a link to the sub directory which holds the current version's shell scripts and binary executables.

/home/gatec2/bin-gatec-<version\_id>\_<date> - A sub-directory that contains a version of GATEC binaries and shell scripts. /home/gatec2/bin will be linked to a directory like this. An example of the version 2.4.1 directory name is:

bin-gatec-241\_03DEC93

The files contained in a bin release sub-directory are shown below.

gen\_arch\_gatec.pl.sql - PL/SQL archiving routine. It moves RFQs out of the primary gatec database if their awarded date exceeds 90 days from the current date.

BCAScancelaward - Gateway script to upload canceled purchase orders to BCAS.

BCASitemupload - Gateway script to upload item description changes to BCAS.

BCASrunproc - Gateway script to run a WANG procedure.

BCASupload - Gateway script to upload awards (purchase orders).

ack\_cron\_pl - Perl script used to look for newly rejected and overdue documents.

acqerr - used by ack\_cron and putuploads\_cron to associate an error message with an acquisition in the GATEC database.

buyer\_stats - Bourne shell script to output a specified buyer's statistics to standard out.

cancelerrtouser - Bourne shell script used to send cancel award errors to specified users.

cdf\_check - Perl script that uses the regular expressions defined in /home/gatec2/etc/cdf\_regexp to grammatically check content of award upload, item upload, and cancel award upload CDFs.

close - Bourne shell script to close all OPEN RFQs.

daily - Bourne shell script used to close RFQ's in GATEC database after they have been open for a designated period of time. It is run as a cron

downLoadPiins - Bourne shell script used to add new award piins to GATEC database.

downloadbsp - Bourne shell script used to add new buyers to GATEC database.

downloadch - Perl script used by getwangfiles to ftp files from WANG to a UNIX machine.

errtomgr - Bourne shell script used by \_cron files to send errors to the gatecmgr.

errtouser - Bourne Shell script used by \_cron files to send error information to specified users.

gatecb.dui - The GATEC server application.

get\_UTNNumber\_from\_cdf - Perl script used by putuploads\_cron to obtain UTN number from award CDF.

get\_login\_info - Uses ASCII file (login) in /home/gatec2/etc to obtain password for access to ORACLE/GATEC database under SOLPLUS.

get\_piin\_from\_cdf - Perl script used by putuploads\_cron to obtain piin number from upload CDF

getopr bsp cron3 - Bourne shell script run as cron to download

new RFQs into GATEC database (makes use of getwangfiles and BCASrunproc).

getstmntship\_cron - Bourne shell script run as cron to load Shipping, Account, and Statement tables (makes use of getwangfiles and BCASrunproc).

getwangfiles - Bourne shell script used by getopr\_bsp\_cron3 and getstmntship\_cron to ftp BCAS data from WANG to SPARC database machine

insertHolidays - Bourne shell script used to add Holiday information to GATEC database

itemerrtouser - Bourne shell script used to send item upload error information to specified users.

lead\_buyer.dui - The GATEC server Lead Buyer application.

putuploads\_cron - Bourne shell script run as cron to upload award information to BCAS. Makes use of BCASupload, seluploadcdf and the "C" queue routines (see below).

gadditem - "C" queue executable used to add item to a queue.

qallstatus - "C" queue executable used to obtain status of all queues.

qkeypop - "C" queue executable used to pop item off a queue based on specified key.

glist - "C" queue executable used to list items on a queue.

qpop - "C" queue executable used to pop unspecified item off a queue.

qsetstatus - "C" queue executable used to set status of a queue.

qstatus - "C" queue executable used to obtain status of a specific queue.

readopr2 - Executable used to load information contained in OPR, Item, and Nomenclature tables (recall those tables are loaded via the getopr\_bsp\_cron3 cron) into the GATEC database.

remoldfiles\_cron - Bourne shell script that can be run as cron to remove old files from a specified directory (e.g. /home/gatec2/tmp).

selcancelcdf - Perl script which writes all non blank fields in a cancel CDF to standard out.

selitemedf - Perl script which writes all non blank fields in an item CDF to standard out.

seluploadcdf - Perl script which writes all non blank fields in an upload CDF to standard out.

serialserver.csh - Sets up buyer environment under C shell (not used).

serialserver.dui - Defines location of shared libraries for GATEC application. This is the shell file that sets up a buyers environment for Bourne Shell. It is executed before the buyer's GATEC application executes.

server - Actual application that starts gatec.dui application.

server.dui - Used by TTY client for initializing sockets.

setUTN\_aw\_to\_cl - PL/SQL script used by putuploads\_cron to change a state of an acquisition from AWARDED to CLOSED.

setUTN\_ignoreack - PL/SQL script used by putuploads\_cron to tell database to ignore acknowledgment checking.

sh\_get\_login\_info - Uses ASCII file (login) in /home/gatec2/etc to obtain password for access to ORACLE/GATEC database under SQLPLUS.

sys\_param.dui - The GATEC server System Parameter manager.

tty\_client - GATEC client application that provides a tty interface. A buyer could run this application on a SPARC.

upload\_bcas\_cancel\_award\_cron - Bourne shell script run as cron that uploads cancel award information to BCAS. Makes use of BCAScancelaward, and selcancelcdf.

upload\_bcas\_item\_desc\_cron - Bourne shell script run as cron that uploads item description information to BCAS. Makes use of BCASitemupload and selitemcdf.

/home/gatec2/lib - Will be a link to the sub-directory which holds the shared libraries used by the GATEC application binaries.

/home/gatec2/lib-gatec-<version\_id>\_<date> - A version of GATEC libraries. /home/gatec2/lib will be linked to a directory like this. An example of the version 2.4.1 directory name is:

lib-gatec-241 03DEC93

The files contained in a lib sub-directory are shown below:

libC.sa.3.0 - Global data library (not used).

libC.so.3.0 - Shareable C library for GATEC application.

libdui\_comm.sa.1.0 - Global data library for client and server (not used).

libdui\_comm.so.1.0 - Shareable DUI communications library for client and server.

libduit.sa.1.0 - Global data DUI toolkit library for client and server (not used).

libduit.so.1.0- Shareable DUI toolkit library for client). and server.

libnarq.sa.1.0 - Global data NARQ library (not used).

libnarq.so.1.0 - Shareable NARQ (database interface) library for GATEC application.

libnarq\_util.sa.1.0 - Global data NARQ utilities library (not used).

libnarq\_util.so.1.0 - Shareable NARQ utilities library for GATEC application.

libnora.sa.1.0 - Global data NORA library (not used).

libnora.so.1.0 - Shareable NORA (NARQ support) library for GATEC application.

The "lib" directory will also have two sub-directories named ctl and sql

/home/gatec2/lib-gatec-<version\_id>\_<date>/ctl - Will contain the Oracle control files that initialize the database tables which are used by the getopr\_bsp\_cron3, getstmntship\_cron crons, and the readopr2 binary

Acetg.ctl - BCAS accounting information table load script.

Item2.ctl - BCAS item information table load script.

Nomenclature2.ctl - BCAS nomenclature information table load script.

PreOpr2.ctl - OPR table (which will hold all requisitions of interest for the current download) load script.

Ship.ctl - BCAS shipping information table load script.

Stmnt.ctl - BCAS statement information table load script.

Vadrs.ctl - BCAS vendor address information table load script.

/home/gatec2/lib-gatec-<version\_id>\_<date>/sql - Will contain the Oracle control files that define data base tables which are used by the getopr\_bsp\_cron3, getstmntship\_cron crons, and the readopr2 binary.

Acctg.sql - BCAS accounting information table definition.

Item.sql - BCAS item information table definition.

Nomenclature.sql - BCAS nomenclature information table definition.

Opr.sql - Definition of OPR table (will hold max. 12 RFQs).

PreOpr.sql - Definition of Pre Opr table which will hold all requisitions of interest for the current download.

Ship.sql - BCAS shipping information table definition.

Stmnt.sql - BCAS statement information table definition.

Vadrs.sql - BCAS vendor address information table definition.

/home/gatec2/tmp - Will contain the CDF files generated by the GATEC application. Periodically this directory is automatically cleaned to prevent it from over flowing. The names of the files in the directory will have the following form:

840<four\_alpha\_chars><five\_digits> (e.g. 840HAAk12345)

This CDF can produce a X12 840.

850<four\_alpha\_chars><five\_digits> (e.g. 850KLMa78912)

This CDF can produce a X12 850.

836<four\_alpha\_chars><five\_digits> (e.g. 836OPWa23456)

This CDF can produce a X12 836.

BCAS<four alpha chars><five digits> (e.g. BCASSWRt31890)

Used for upload of award information to BCAS.

/home/gatec2/etc - Will contain three files:

cdf\_regexp - Contains valid regular expressions (grammar of BCAS CDF parameters, e.g. a UTN number is 16 characters, the first being alphanumeric, the next five being digits, etc) which are used by the regular expression checker cdf\_check, to verify data being uploaded to BCAS is grammatically correct.

dblogin - Contains the database login information (for the primary database, and the archive database) used by the sh\_get\_login\_info script as well as the "CDF to DB" software.

login - Contains the database login information (for the primary database) used by the get\_login\_info shell script.

/home/gatec2/PC - Will contain sub-directories which contain a version of the PC executable client binaries and resource files. The sub-directory names will have the form:

release <version><date> e.g. release-2.4.103DEC93

Executable and resource files which comprise a release are:

windui.exe - Client gatec executable.

setup.exe - Executable that produces com.cfg file that sets up serial communication port for PC communication with SPARC 10.

network.scr - ASCII file contains login for client.

pause.scr - ASCII file contains pause time when client blocks.

com.cfg - Output of setup.exe.

discon.scr - The disconnect script.

wres.res - ASCII file defining object placement on GATEC screens.

unissue1.bmp - Bitmap for UNISSUED picture on GATEC workload screen.

unisshl1.bmp - Bitmap for UNISSUED HOLD picture on GATEC workload screen.

open1.bmp - Bitmap for OPEN picture on GATEC workload

screen.

closed1.bmp - Bitmap for CLOSED picture on GATEC workload screen.

closedhld.bmp - Bitmap for CLOSED HOLD picture on GATEC workload screen.

overdue1.bmp - Bitmap for OVERDUE picture on GATEC workload screen.

awarded1.bmp - Bitmap for AWARDED picture on GATEC workload screen.

unread1.bmp - Bitmap for UNREAD picture on GATEC workload screen.

errors.bmp - Bitmap for ERRORS picture on GATEC workload screen.

See the "Internal Description and Maintenance Guide" for more details on the PC client software

/home/bcas - Contains GATEC specific software.

/home/bcas - contains log files that record item description upload, and cancel RFQ upload. Also holds some data files FTP'd from the WANG. The item upload, and cancel log files are described below,

item\_upload\_trace - A summary of all item uploads is placed in the file.

item\_upload\_errors - A summary of all item upload errors is placed in the file.

item-upload-record - Diagnostic gateway output for all item upload transactions is placed in this file

cancel\_award\_trace - A summary of all cancel uploads is placed in this file.

cancel\_award\_errors - A summary of all cancel errors is placed in the file

cancel\_award\_record - Diagnostic gateway output for all cancel transactions is placed in this file.

/home/bcas/que - contains files holding queue information on

every queue used for BCAS interaction (specifically, the beasupload, beascancel, and beasitem queues).

bcascancel.dat

bcascancel.idx

bcasitem.dat

bcasitem.idx

bcasupload.dat

bcasupload.idx

qmanager.dat

qmanager.idx

/home/bcas/items - Will contain sub-directories which contain item description upload files which could not be uploaded to BCAS. Directory names will have form: errDir<four\_digit\_number> (e.g. errDir2355).

/home/gatecmgr - Contains GATEC specific software.

Contains home directory files for gatec manager.

set\_ecedi\_env - executes script that sets up environment for gatecmgr operations

fwd - file that forwards gatecmgr mail to designated users. Since errors are usually mailed to the gatecmgr this is a way an individual can be informed of system errors.

handleItemFiles - directory that contains scripts for deleting used item description and cancel award upload files from /var/tmp

mbox - the gatecmgr mail box

/home/gatecmgr/handleItemFiles - Contains GATEC specific software.

extractItemResults - Bourne Shell script to remove item files in /var/tmp which have been successfully uploaded to BCAS. Moves files that have an associated error to /home/bcas/items/errDir<four\_digit\_number>. Requires input file containing SMTP e-mail messages from the upload\_bcas\_item\_desc cron (known as "Final item upload results" message. These can be obtained from the gatecmgr mail box by searching for the word "Final item" in the subject line).

itemGarbageCollector - For item files not mentioned in email messages, but still found in /var/tmp, will either delete or requeue file depending on whether the stock number is found in the /home/bcas/item\_upload\_trace file.

extractCancelResults - Bourne Shell script to remove cancel files in /var/tmp which have been successfully uploaded to BCAS. Moves files that have an associated error to /home/bcas/items/errCancelDir<four\_digit\_number>. Requires input file containing SMTP e-mail messages from the upload\_cancel\_award\_cron (known as "Final cancel upload results" message. These can be obtained from the gatecmgr mail box by searching for the word "Final cancel" in the subject line).

cancelGarbageCollector - For cancel files not mentioned in email messages, but still found in /var/tmp, will either delete or requeue file depending on whether the piin number is found in the /home/bcas/cancel\_upload\_trace file.

read\_cancel\_err\_names - Used by extractCancelResults to create a Bourne Shell script to move cancel CDFs which have errors associated with them.

read\_item\_err\_names - Used by extractItemResults to create a Bourne Shell script to move item CDFs which have errors associated with them.

read\_succ\_names - Used by extractCancelResults and extractItemResults to create Bourne Shell script to remove cancel and item CDFs whose data has been successfully uploaded to BCAS.

**/home/ecedi -** Contains GATEC support software. In general file functionality will not be described in this document for support software. For further details on the EC-EDI directories consult the *EC-EDI Configuration Management* document [REF007]

Env.sh, Env.csh - script to set up "standard" electronic commerce (EC) environment necessary for the gatecmgr to run its crons. This essentially allows the gatecmgr to use the gateway interpreter to run the BCAS interface scripts (i.e. BCASdownload through getopr\_bsp\_cron3, BCASupload through putuploads\_cron, BCASitemupload through upload\_bcas\_item\_desc\_cron, and BCAScancelaward through upload\_bcas\_cancel\_award\_cron).

The rest of the sub-directories in EC-EDI directory are described below

/home/ecedi/bin - Contains GATEC support software.

Contains the following executables, the only noteworthy one for GATEC applications being the gateway interpreter and the TM (Trusted Mail) applications.

```
am-format
am-print
apw
autoauth
bugrpt
certrqst
co-pilot
comment
createdbs
dates
db tool
decryptpw
dos-mounter.hqx
dpw
ec
format
gateway - the gateway interpreter
gatewaypw
gpw
kermit
liftran
mcal
pager
percal
pop3
pop_add
pop_passwd
pop_vipw
rb
rolo
rx
rz
saveon
sb
setupecuser
SX
SZ
termstran
tm - Trusted Mail application
wp
```

## $\label{lem:contains} \textbf{/home/ecedi/doc -} Contains \ GATEC \ support \ software.$

banner.help mailmsg mailmsg.help online.help online.index

### /home/ecedi/etc - Contains GATEC support software.

passwd - example password file

### /home/ecedi/help - Contains GATEC support software.

advanced appointments authusers certhelp1 certhelp2 certhelp3 dolist intro menus overdue overview printouts short short.appt short.auth short.do short.over short.print short.sus startup suspenses

### /home/ecedi/lib - Contains GATEC support software.

co-pilotd lmail mail.cf mail.rc popperd tmlockd tmpreserve foreauth

## /home/ecedi/lib/Config.notes - Contains GATEC support software.

co-pilot dostm tm

## /home/ecedi/lib/Instnotes - Contains GATEC support

software.

report tm

/home/ecedi/lib/calendar - Contains GATEC support software.

/home/ecedi/lib/doc - Contains GATEC support software.

dialog.files fulltext.doc tm-doc tm-terms

/home/ecedi/lib/envs - Contains GATEC support software.

/home/ecedi/lib/envs/ecedi - Contains GATEC support software.

banner header menu thanks trailer

/home/ecedi/lib/envs/ecedi/help - Contains GATEC support software.

#### **MASTER**

abft

abft.1

abft.2

abft.3

abft.4

abft.5

abi

abi.1

abi.2

abi.3

abi.4 abi.5

add-access

aerospace

all-print

allnews

allnews.1

allnews.2

allnews.3

allnews.4

allnews.5

ap

ap.1

ap.2

ap.3

ap.4

ap.5

appt

appt-con

appt-one

appt-print

appt-review

appt-week

army

auto

autopilot

autopilot.1

autopilot.3

bbs

bugrpt

bus

cal

cbd

cbd.1

cbd.2

cbd.3

cbd.4 cbd.5

certrqst

certrqst.2

certrqst.3

change-width

chg-hdr

chg-pers

cis

cis.1

cis.2

cis.3

cis.4

cis.5

cmptr-db.1

cmptr-db.2

cmptr-db.3

cmptr-db.4

cmptr-db.5

co-pilot

comment

commercial

compare

compuserve

compuserve.1

compuserve.3

compusrv.ap

computer-db

congress

congress.1

congress.2

congress.3

congress.4

congress.5

converse

copy

count

ср-о

cp-p cpo-link

cpo-link.1

cpo-link.3

cpo-link.6

create-grp

create-grp.1

customer

daily

date-create

date-delete

date-manage

date-print

date-scan

date-set

date-share

date-view

datebook

ddn.ap

delete-acc

delete-grp

dialog

dialog.1

dialog.3

dialog.4

dialog.acci

dialog.menu

dialogtp

dialogtp.3

dialogtp.4

directory

display

dla

doe-energy

dolist

dolist-print

easylink

easylink.1

easylink.3

easylink.ap

ectn

ectn.1

ectn.3

ectn.ap

ecx

edi

edi-demo

edi-van

edit-env

editors

eucom

ex

fed-index

fed-index.1

fed-index.2

fed-index.3

fed-index.4

fed-index.5

fed-regs

fed-regs.1

fed-regs.2

fed-regs.3

fed-regs.4

fed-regs.5

fed-rgstr

fed-rgstr.1

fed-rgstr.2

fed-rgstr.3

fed-rgstr.4

fed-rgstr.5

file

filing

find

flx-link

flx-link.1

flx-link.3

flx-link.6

format

formfeed

fulltext

fulltext.1

fulltext.2

fulltext.3

fulltext.4

fulltext.5

gatepass

glbl-choice

gov

government

govmktg.menu

gpo

gpo.1

gpo.2

gpo.3

gpo.4

gpo.5 help

help-cmds

help-global

help-gloss

help-help

help-menus

help-options

help-poc

help-type

info

intro

join

kermit

lif

lif.1

lif.2

lif.3

lin-link

lin-link.1

lin-link.3

lin-link.6

link-tem

link-tem.1

link-tem.2

link-tem.3

list

list-access

list-grp

little

little.1

little.2

little.3

little.4

little.5

lookup

lowercase

mail

mci

mci-fax

mci-fax.1

mci-fax.3

mci-logon

mci-logon.1

mci-logon.3

mci-telex

mci-telex.1

mci-telex.3

mcimail

mcimail.1

mcimail.3

mcimail.ap

memo

mesg

micro-index

moderator

modify

modify-grp

modify-grp.1

move

msg

mtmc

networks

news

newsearch

newsearch.1

newsearch.2

newsearch.3

newsearch.4

newsearch.5

newswire

newswire.1

newswire.2

newswire.3

newswire.4

newswire.5

nni

nni.1

nni.2

nni.3

nni.4

nni.5

ntis

numbers

oag

oag.1

oag.2

oag.3

oag.4

oag.5

office

othermail overdue

overdue.1

overdue.3

password

pers-add

pers-comm

pers-disp

pers-menrem

pers-menu

pers-remove

phonebook

phonemsg

plus

post

presstext

presstext.1

presstext.2

presstext.3

presstext.4

presstext.5

print

print-host

print-opts

printers

priority

protect

rdm-link

rdm-link.1

rdm-link.3

rdm-link.6

remind

remind-print

rename

rename-grp

rename-grp.1

replace

report

review

rms-link

rms-link.1

rms-link.3

rms-link.6

samms

samms.1

samms.2

samms.3

samms.4

samms.5

savedmail

search

sendmail

sentmail

setup

share

sort

soviet

soviet.1

soviet.2

soviet.3

soviet.4

soviet.5

spaces

spaces,

special

spell

speller

spelling

split

stg-link

stg-link.1

stg-link.3

stg-link.6

supervisor

survey

tabs

talk

tcp

tech

terms

terms.1

terms.2

terms.3

terms.4

text

timer

tm

tm-doc

tm-env

tm-general

tm-general.1

tm-general.2

tm-general.3

tm-groups

tm-grp

tm-heade

tm-header

tm-intro

tm-options

tm-personal

tm-pri-list

tm-procomm

tm-procomm.1

tm-procomm.2

tm-procomm.3

tm-terms

tm-ws trade trade.1 trade.2 trade.3 trade.4 trade.5 transcript transfer translate trinet trinet.1 trinet.2 trinet.3 trinet.4 trinet.5 tymnet tymnet-info tymnet.1 tymnet.3 tymnet.ap typeset typewrite upi upi.1 upi.2 upi.3 upi.4 upi.5 uppercase user

# /home/ecedi/lib/envs/ecedi/scripts - Contains GATEC support software.

abft abi add-access aerospace all-print allnews ap appt-con appt-one appt-print appt-review

vi who write appt-week autopilot

cal

cbd

certrqst

change-width

chg-hdr

chg-pers

cis

compare

compuserve

computer-db

congress

copy

count

ср-о

ср-р

cpo-link

create-grp

daily

dailyawk

date-create

date-delete

date-scan

date-set

date-view

delete-acc

delete-grp

dialog

directory

display

doe-energy

dolist

dolist-print

easylink

ectn

edi-demo

edit-env

ex

fed-index

fed-regs

fed-rgstr

file

find

fixtmrc

flx-link

formfeed

fulltext

gatepass

gpo info

join

lif

lin-link

list

list-access

list-grp

little

lookup

lowercase

mail

mci-fax

mci-logon

mci-telex

mcimail

memo

mesg

micro-index

modify-grp

move

msg

newsearch

newswire

nni

ntis

numbers

oag

othermail

overdue

password

pers-add

pers-comm

pers-disp

pers-menrem

pers-remove

phonebook

phonemsg

post

presstext

print

print-host

print-opts

priority

rdm-link

remind

remind-over

remind-print

rename

rename-grp

replace

review

rms-link

samms

savedmail

search

sentmail

share

sort

soviet

spaces

spell

speller

split

stdplus

stg-link

survey

tabs

talk

tcp

terms

timer

tm-general

tm-header

tm-options

tm-pri-list

tm-procomm

tools

trade

transcript

trinet

tymnet

tymnet-info

typeset

typewrite

upi

uppercase

vi

who

write

# /home/ecedi/lib/envs/ecedi/scripts/tools - Contains GATEC support software.

backgnd-lif

backgnd-trms

box-example

communicate

compose-mail

daily-lif

daily-terms

dates.awk

dialog

dialog-acct

dialog-an dialog-date dialog-fmt dialog-funct dialog-key dialog-send editor find-mail gen-account gen-chk-auth gen-main gen-mode gen-password gen-read-def gen-review gen-review2 gen-system gen-term gen-who lif-fun lif-key lif-main lif-send lif-term-fun lif filter link-main mod-grp-awk samms-func saveon-main saveon-post saveon-pre string-funct terms-fun terms-option terms-send tm-trans tran-spaces translate

## /home/ecedi/lib/gateway - Contains GATEC support software.

baudtable gatewaylog modemtable

tymnet-trans

# /home/ecedi/lib/gateway/coredir - Contains GATEC support software.

## /home/ecedi/lib/gateway/doc - Contains GATEC support software.

banner.help gateway.doc online.doc online.help online.index

## /home/ecedi/lib/gateway/filters - Contains GATEC support software.

dialogtout kermit termstout umodem

# /home/ecedi/lib/gateway/macrolib - Contains GATEC support software.

CDCMAILlogon CYBERlogout UNIXlogin **UNIXlogout** aiswitch anyparity atoi checkauth dateconvert dial dial2 dialout echooutput evenparity filter finish flow-off flow-on full getconnect getlp getopt globals half hatchar hayes hayes2 help imdi

lcase linedrop linedrop2 micom micomlan mt224 network network2 oddparity printall-off printall-on retry\_modem sammslogin slowoutput telenet telsuba telsubb terminate terminate2 traps ttytrap tymnet ucase uninet unixlogin2 va212 verbose-off verbose-on

## /home/ecedi/lib/gateway/phones - Contains GATEC support software.

phsample

/home/ecedi/lib/gateway/wire - Contains GATEC support software.

ttysample

/home/ecedi/lib/gateway/wire/dev - Contains GATEC support software.

ttysample

/home/ecedi/lib/man - Contains GATEC support software.

ec pager percal rz.1 sz.1 tm

/home/ecedi/lib/misc - Contains GATEC support software.

BUGNBR CMTNBR

/home/ecedi/lib/phonebook - Contains GATEC support software.

addhelp addinfo entrymenu escanhelp esearchhelp fldsrchhlp lockinfo mainmenu moptionhelp moptionshelp pckntrymn poptionmenu poptionshelp updatehelp updatemenu

/home/ecedi/pop\_mail - Contains GATEC support software.

Example

/home/ecedi/spool - Contains GATEC support software.

**/home/ecedi/spool/download -** Contains GATEC support software.

Example

**/home/ecedi/spool/homedir -** Contains GATEC support software.

**/home/oracle -** Contains COTS software. In general, file functionality will not be described in this section for COTS software. For further details on the ORACLE directories consult

### initial-count.sql

### /home/oracle/bin - Contains COTS software.

archmon

coraenv

crt

crtins

cursize

dbfsize

dbhome

dbshut

dbstart

demobld

demodrop

dumprep

echodo

exp

expO

genksms

genosntab

genrep

gensyslib

helpins

imp

impO

itd

loadrep

maxmem

moverep

oerr

opendev

oracle

oracle.OLD

oracleO

oraenv

orasrv

printdef

pupbld

runrep

sqldba

sqldbaO

sqlldr

sqlplus

sqlrep

tepetl

tcputl

termdef

tkprof tstshm usercheck

## /home/oracle/crt/admin - Contains COTS software.

4410.sql

4415.sql

4420.sql

4425.sql

513.sql

5620.sql

605.sql

610.sql

615.sql

620.sql

630.sql

705.sql

730.sql

ANSI.crt

AT386.crt BITMAP.crt

Cmcae.sql

NeXTTerm.sql

QA.sql

SPARCXT.crt

SUN-CMD.crt

SUN.crt

VT100.crt

VT102.crt

VT220.crt

XBITMAP.crt

XTERM.crt

ansi.sql

at386.sql

bitmap.sql

cit500.sql

crt.inp

crt.log

crttab.sql

ct.sql

default.crt

gg.sql

gigi.sql 2392.sql

hp2397.sql

hp2622.sql

hp2627.sql

ibm3270.sql

ibm3270b.sql

ibm3270c.sql

ibm3270h.sql ibm3270u.sql ibm3270v.sql mac2.sql ncd101.sql owl.sql pc52.sql pc7300.sql pt.sql sparcxt.sql sun-cmd.sql sun5.sql sun5x.sql sunx.sql sunx23.sql tek88.sql vk100.sql vt100.sql vt102.sql vt200.sql vt220.sql vt330.sql vt340.sql vt52.sql vtapollo.sql wyse50.sql xbitmap.sql xterm.sql

## /home/oracle/crt/install - Contains COTS software.

CRT.DIST crt.install crt.key crt.verify

### /home/oracle/crt/lib - Contains COTS software.

crt.mk crtdrv.o libcrt.a libcrt.aO

### /home/oracle/crt/man - Contains COTS software.

crt.l crtins.l cvtcrt.l

### /home/oracle/dbs - Contains COTS software.

cntrlgatec.dbf
init.ora
initbig.ora
initgatec.ora
initgatec.ora-small
initmed.ora
sgadefgatec.dbf
sql.bsq

#### /home/oracle/install - Contains COTS software.

**INSTALL.DIST** bt\_comp\_rel.sh deinstall link.mk mergelib oracle.boot oracle.install oracle.key oracle.patch oracle.verify patch.README prtversion.sh read.sh root.install root.key setup.ins setup.ve testdrive.sh

## /home/oracle/install/runtime - Contains COTS software.

INSTALL.DIST oracle.install setup.ins

## /home/oracle/loader2/admin - Contains COTS software.

ulview.sql

## /home/oracle/loader2/demo - Contains COTS software.

case.sql case2.ctl case2.dat case2.log case2.out

### /home/oracle/loader2/doc - Contains COTS software.

README.doc

read.me

### /home/oracle/loader2/install - Contains COTS software.

LOADER2.DIST

ldr2.install

ldr2.verify

ldr2\_ver.out

loader2.key

## /home/oracle/plsql/demo - Contains COTS software.

#### README

alter.sql

bankdemo.lis

bankdemo.pc

bankdemo.sql

buildtab.itd

buildtab.sql

create\_pls.itd

demo1.sql

demo1pl.sql

demo2.sql

demo2pl.sql

demo3.sql

demo3pl.sql

demo4.sql

demo4pl.sql

demo5.sql

demo5pl.sql

demo 1.itd

demo 2.itd

demo\_3.itd

demo 4.itd

demo 5.itd

demo bank.itd

demobld.itd

demobld.sql

enterdat.itd

enterdat.sql

examp1.sql

examp10.sql

examp11.sql

examp12.sql

examp13.sql

examp14.sql

examp2.sql

examp3.sql

examp4.sql examp5.sql examp6.pc examp7 examp7.c examp7.data examp7.lis examp7.pc examp8.sql examp9.sql examp\_1.itd examp\_10.itd examp\_11.itd examp\_12.itd examp\_13.itd examp\_14.itd examp\_2.itd examp 3.itd examp\_4.itd examp\_5.itd examp\_6.itd examp\_7.itd examp\_8.itd examp\_9.itd loaddemoa.sql loaddemob.sql longname.sql sample1.sql sample2.sql sample3.sql sample4.sql sample5.pc sample\_1.itd sample 2.itd sample\_3.itd sample\_4.itd sample\_5.itd setacct.sql setemp.sql setinv.sql setsales.sql verplsql.sh

# $\label{lem:cots} \mbox{\sc home/oracle/plsql/doc - Contains COTS software.}$

README.doc

/home/oracle/plsql/install - Contains COTS software.

PLSQL.DIST plsql.install

plsql.key plsql.verify plsql\_ver.out

# /home/oracle/plsql/install/runtime - Contains COTS software.

PLSQL.DIST plsql.install

## /home/oracle/plsql/lib - Contains COTS software.

libpls.a libpls.aO scmstr.o

### /home/oracle/rdbms/admin - Contains COTS software.

blocking.sql bstat.sql catalog.sql catalog5.sql dba\_syn.sql dd\_update.sql dispidxs.sql dropcat5.sql estat.sql expvew.sql expvew5.sql idxstat.sql locktree.sql monitor.sql oneidxs.sql report.txt sqlbld.sql xplainpl.sql

## /home/oracle/rdbms/doc - Contains COTS software.

README.doc explain.doc idxstat.doc migrate.doc readme.txt recovery.doc tkprof.doc vms\_readme.doc

## /home/oracle/rdbms/install - Contains COTS software.

RDBMS.DIST rdbms.install rdbms.key rdbms.verify rdbms\_ver.out

# /home/oracle/rdbms/install/runtime - Contains COTS software.

RDBMS.DIST rdbms.install

### /home/oracle/rdbms/lib - Contains COTS software.

config.c config.o ksms.o ksms.s libexp.a libexp.aO libimp.a libimp.aO libknĺ.a libknl.aO liboci14c.a liboci14c.aO libocic.a libora.a libora.aO libosdgen.a libpcc14.a libpls.a libpsd14.a

libsqldba.a libsqldba.aO libsqlnet.a libtma.a opimai.o

libsql.a libsql14.a libsql14.aO

oracle.mk oradbx.o

osntab.c

osntab.o

plsdum.o

sysliblist

/home/oracle/rdbms/log - Contains COTS software.

Will contain log files (.trc) for database.

### /home/oracle/rdbms/man - Contains COTS software.

arch.l coraenv.l cursize.1 dbhome.l dbshut.l dbstart.l dbwr.l export.1 genosntab.l import.l lgwr.l maxmem.l oerr.l oracle.l oraenv.l pmon.l smon.l sqldba.l tstshm.l

# /home/oracle/rdbms/mesg - Contains COTS software.

dbacs.msg dbad.msb dbad.msg dbadk.msb dbadk.msg dbae.msb dbae.msg dbael.msg dbaf.msb dbaf.msg dbahu.msg dbai.msb dbai.msg dban.msb dban.msg dbanl.msb dbanl.msg dbapl.msg dbapt.msg dbaptb.msg dbaru.msg dbas.msb dbas.msg dbasf.msb dbasf.msg

dbask.msg dbatr.msg dbaus.msb dbaus.msg expcs.msg expd.msb expd.msg expdk.msb expdk.msg expe.msb expe.msg expel.msg expf.msb expf.msg exphu.msg expi.msb expi.msg expn.msb expn.msg expnl.msb expnl.msg exppl.msg exppt.msg expptb.msg expru.msg exps.msb exps.msg expsf.msb expsf.msg expsk.msg exptr.msg expus.msb expus.msg impcs.msg impd.msb impd.msg impdk.msb impdk.msg impe.msb impe.msg impel.msg impf.msb impf.msg imphu.msg impi.msb impi.msg impn.msb impn.msg impnl.msb impnl.msg imppl.msg

imppt.msg impptb.msg impru.msg imps.msb imps.msg impsf.msb impsf.msg impsk.msg imptr.msg impus.msb impus.msg kumcs.msg kumd.msg kumdk.msg kume.msg kumel.msg kumf.msg kumhu.msg kumi.msg kumn.msg kumnl.msg kumpl.msg kumpt.msg kumptb.msg kumru.msg kums.msg kumsf.msg kumsk.msg kumtr.msg lcdcs.msg lcdd.msb lcdd.msg lcddk.msb lcddk.msg lcde.msb lcde.msg lcdel.msg lcdf.msb lcdf.msg lcdhu.msg lcdi.msb lcdi.msg lcdn.msb lcdn.msg lcdnl.msb lcdnl.msg lcdpl.msg lcdpt.msg lcdptb.msg lcdru.msg lcds.msb

lcds.msg lcdsf.msb lcdsf.msg lcdsk.msg lcdtr.msg lcdus.msb lcdus.msg oracs.msb oracs.msg orad.msb orad.msg oradk.msb oradk.msg orae.msb orae.msg orael.msb orael.msg oraf.msb oraf.msg orahu.msb orahu.msg orai.msb orai.msg oran.msb oran.msg oranl.msb oranl.msg orapl.msb orapl.msg orapt.msb orapt.msg oraptb.msb oraptb.msg oraru.msb oraru.msg oras.msb oras.msg orasf.msb orasf.msg orask.msb orask.msg oratr.msb oratr.msg oraus.msb oraus.msg sqlus.msb sqlus.msg

# /home/oracle/sqlplus - Contains COTS software.

helpindx.lis

#### helptbl.lis

## /home/oracle/sqlplus/admin - Contains COTS software.

glogin.sql pupbld.sql

# /home/oracle/sqlplus/admin/help - Contains COTS software.

helpindx.sql helptbl.sql plushelp.ctl

### /home/oracle/sqlplus/demo - Contains COTS software.

banner.itd buildtab.itd demobld.sql demodrop.sql select.itd verplus.sh

## /home/oracle/sqlplus/doc - Contains COTS software.

README.doc

# /home/oracle/sqlplus/install - Contains COTS software.

SQLPLUS.DIST plus.install plus.verify plus\_ver.out sqlplus.key

# /home/oracle/sqlplus/install/runtime - Contains COTS software.

SQLPLUS.DIST plus.install

# /home/oracle/sqlplus/lib - Contains COTS software.

afidrv.o frms23.o frms30.o libplus.a libplus.aO sqlplus.mk

## /home/oracle/sqlplus/man - Contains COTS software.

crscript.l demobld.l demodrop.l glogin.l login.l sqlplus.l

## /home/oracle/sqlplus/mesg - Contains COTS software.

cpyd.msb cpyd.msg cpydk.msb cpydk.msg cpye.msb cpye.msg cpyf.msb cpyf.msg cpyi.msb cpyi.msg cpyn.msb cpyn.msg cpynl.msb cpynl.msg cpys.msb cpys.msg cpysf.msb cpysf.msg cpyus.msb cpyus.msg sp1d.msb sp1d.msg sp1dk.msb sp1dk.msg sp1e.msb sp1e.msg sp1f.msb sp1f.msg sp1i.msb sp1i.msg sp1n.msb sp1n.msg sp1nl.msb sp1nl.msg sp1s.msb sp1s.msg sp1sf.msb sp1sf.msg sp1us.msb

sp1us.msg sp2d.msb sp2d.msg sp2dk.msb sp2dk.msg sp2e.msb sp2e.msg sp2f.msb sp2f.msg sp2i.msb sp2i.msg sp2n.msb sp2n.msg sp2nl.msb sp2nl.msg sp2s.msb sp2s.msg sp2sf.msb sp2sf.msg sp2us.msb sp2us.msg

## /home/oracle/sqlreport - Contains COTS software.

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## /home/oracle/sqlreport/admin - Contains COTS software.

sr.a sr.e sr.h srw.admin srw.chksrw srw.chkuid srw.creuid srw.syspwd srw\_1104.sql srw\_1110.sql srw\_cmdn.sql srw dcen.sql srw\_dloc.sql srw\_dr10.sql srw\_drop.sql srw\_grnt.sql srw icen.sql srw\_iloc.sql srw lmt.sql srw\_mail.sh srw mail.txt srw\_prac.sql srw rvke.sql

srw\_ucen.sql srw\_uloc.sql

# /home/oracle/sqlreport/admin/terminal - Contains COTS software.

srw\_100 srw\_100.kdf srw 100.key srw\_100c.kdf srw\_100f srw\_100f.kdf srw\_100f.key srw\_220  $srw_220.kdf$ srw 220.key srw\_220c.kdf srw\_220e srw\_320 srw\_340 srw\_ansi srw\_ansi.kdf srw\_ansi.key srw\_at386 srw\_at386.kdf srw\_at386.key srw att.kdf srw\_att610 srw\_att630 srw\_avx300 srw\_avx300.kdf srw\_avx300.key srw\_d200n srw\_d216 srw\_d216.kdf srw\_d216.key srw d216n srw d410n srw\_d412 srw\_d412.kdf srw\_d412.key  $srw_d462$ srw\_d462.kdf srw\_d462.key srw\_dflt srw\_dgn.kdf srw\_dgn.key srw\_hp srw\_hp.kdf srw\_hpt srw\_hpx

srw\_hpx.kdf srw n101 srw\_n101.kdf srw\_sun srw\_sun.kdf srw\_sun.key srw sun5 srw\_sun5.kdf srw\_tm220 srw\_tm228 srw\_tm228.kdf srw\_tm228.key srw tm228i srw\_tm228i.kdf srw\_tm228i.key srw\_tm229 srw\_tm229i srw vtapo srw\_vtapo.kdf srw\_vtapo.key srw\_wyse50 srw\_wyse50.kdf srw\_wyse50.key termdef.dat vt100 vt220 vt220e vt320 vt340

# /home/oracle/sqlreport/admin/printer - Contains COTS software.

dec dec180 decland decwide dflt hpl hplwide printdef.dat pslan132 pslan180 pslan80 pspor132 pspor80 pstscrpt.dat spoolcmd\* spoollp.sh spoollp2.sh spoollpr.sh\* spoollpr2.sh wide wide180

## /home/oracle/sqlreport/demo - Contains COTS software.

advanced.rex advanced.sql banners.itd demobld.sql demodrop.sql dist.itd example.rex profile.itd srw132.rex srw175.rex srw80.rex versrw.sh

## /home/oracle/sqlreport/doc - Contains COTS software.

README.doc

## /home/oracle/sqlreport/install - Contains COTS software.

SQLREPORT.DIST srw.install srw.key srw.verify srw\_ver.out

# **/home/oracle/sqlreport/install/runtime -** Contains COTS software.

SQLREPORT.DIST srw.install

# /home/oracle/sqlreport/lib - Contains COTS software.

README. aaaafl.o conmai.o expmai.o genmai.o iapxtb.c iapxtb.o impmai.o libally.a

libally.aO libgen.a libgen.aO libint.a libmov.a libstub.a libstub.aO prtmai.o runmai.o rwcst1.o rwcst2.o rwcstf.o rwcstm.o rwegfv.o rwegsc.o rweif.o rwenop.o rwepfo.o rwepfv.o rweprs.o rwerth.o rwexec.o rwxtb.o srw.mk srwcpf.o srwcpf.pc srwmai.o

# /home/oracle/sqlreport/mesg - Contains COTS software.

srwus.msb srwus.msg

trmmai.o usrxit.h

# /home/oracle/tcp/demo - Contains COTS software.

checktcp.itd dist.itd vertcp.sh

# /home/oracle/tcp/doc - Contains COTS software.

README.doc

# /home/oracle/tcp/install - Contains COTS software.

TCP.DIST checkTCP prtstr

tcp.install tcp.key tcp.root tcp.verify tcp\_ver.out

# /home/oracle/tcp/install/runtime - Contains COTS software.

TCP.DIST tcp.install

## /home/oracle/tcp/lib - Contains COTS software.

libtcp.a

/home/oracle/tcp/log - Contains COTS software.

orasrv.log

/home/oracle/tcp/man - Contains COTS software.

orasrv.l tcpctl.l

# /home/oracle/tpo/install - Contains COTS software.

TPO.DIST rowlock tpo.install tpo.key tpo.verify tpo\_ver.out

# /home/oracle/tpo/install/runtime - Contains COTS software.

TPO.DIST tpo.install

# /home/oracle/tpo/lib - Contains COTS software.

libtpo.a

/db - Contains GATEC specific software.

/db - Will contain directories which define the ORACLE GATEC database.

/db/log - Incremental log files which are created as the GATEC ORACLE database undergoes change. These log files are deleted after a successful backup tape copy of the database is made. If the database is lost, these files can be used by and ORACLE application to restore to bring the last back up of the database to the prior state of the database before it was lost. File names have form: arch <five digit number>.dbf (e.g. arch 20020.dbf).

/db/dbs - "the database"

/db/tmp - temporary storage area used by ORACLE

/db/lost+found - standard UNIX directory lost and found.

**/etc -** Contains GATEC support software.

.authlist - Password authorization file used by gateway to log into remote systems. The initial file is created when gateway is installed as part of the /ecedi directory install. The file must be manually edited to add different machine logins. Consult the *ASCENT Gateway Programmer's Guide* for further details [REF009]. For security purposes this file can only be touched by root (i.e. the Superuser).

printcap - Establishes outbound queue in printcap file.

/usr/local/bin - Contains public domain software.

perl - The Perl language interpreter. The Perl language is described at length in the following references: *UNIX Power Tools* [REF010], and *Programming Perls* [REF011].

/usr/spool/cron/crontabs - - Contains GATEC specific software.

gatec2 - crontab to run /home/gatec2/bin/remoldfiles\_cron to delete old files from the /home/gatec2/tmp directory.

gatecmgr - crontab to run:

ack\_cron\_pl - Checks on overdue 850, 836, and 840 acknowledgments.

getopr\_bsp\_cron3 - Down load new solicitations from BCAS.

putuploads\_cron - Upload award information to BCAS.

upload\_bcas\_item\_desc\_cron - Upload item description change information to BCAS.

upload\_bcas\_cancel\_award\_cron - Upload award cancellation information to BCAS.

daily - Close RFQs in GATEC database which have been open for a specified duration.

/usr/spool/lpd - Contains GATEC support software.

outbound - Spooling area for outbound queue.

### 7.2 Appendix B - Directory Structure of the Transport Machine

The directory structure on the Transport Machine is similar to that of the Database Machine. The major exception being that the transport machine does not have the /home/oracle and /db directories. While many of the directory names are the same, the actual content of the directories may be different.

/home - Contains GATEC specific software

gatecmgr - The gatecmgr user directory.

gatec2 - The gatec2 user directory.

archive - The archive user directory.

/home/gatec2 - Contains GATEC specific software.

/home/gatec2/bin - Will be a link to the sub directory which holds the current version's shell scripts and binary executables.

/home/gatec2/bin-gatec-<version\_id>\_<date> - A version of GATEC binaries and shell scripts. /home/gatec2/bin will be linked to a directory like this. An example of the version 2.4.1 directory name is: bin-gatec-241\_03DEC93. The files contained in this directory are described below:

824CDFtoDB - Executable to place 824 CDF into GATEC database.

838CDFtoDB -> 838cCDFtoDB - Will run 838cCDFtoDB executable when 838CDFtoDB is invoked.

838cCDFtoDB - Executable to insert 838C information into GATEC database.

843CDFtoDB - Executable to insert 843 (bid) CDF information into GATEC database.

864CDFtoDB - Executable to insert 864 (text message) CDF information into GATEC database.

997CDFtoDB - Executable to insert 997 (acknowledgment) CDF information into the GATEC database.

TE- Executable translator engine.

cdfretry - Bourne Shell script to perpetuate queuing of transaction until GATEC database is up.

inbound - Bourne shell script used to process incoming X12 transactions.

input - Bourne Shell script used to handle inbound printer queue overflows.

newsyslog - Bourne shell script run as cron to update archive mail file name and move it to /home/archive/archive.

outbound - Bourne shell script used to process outgoing transactions.

sh\_get\_login\_info - Bourne shell script used to get ORACLE login from file (login) in/home/gatec2/etc.

/home/gatec2/lib - Will be a link to the sub-directory which holds the shared libraries used by the GATEC application binaries.

/home/gatec2/lib-gatec-<version\_id>\_<date> - A version of GATEC libraries. /home/gatec2/lib will be linked to a directory like this. An example of the version 2.4.1 directory name is: lib-gatec-241\_03DEC93. The files contained in this directory are described below (note these are identical to the libraries on the Database Machine).

ibC.sa.3.0 - Global data library (not used).

libC.so.3.0 - Shareable C library for GATEC application.

libdui\_comm.sa.1.0 - Global data library for client and server (not used).

libdui\_comm.so.1.0 - Shareable DUI communications library for client and server.

libduit.sa.1.0 - Global data DUI toolkit library for client and server

(not used).

libduit.so.1.0- Shareable DUI toolkit library for client). and server.

libnarq.sa.1.0 - Global data NARQ library (not used).

libnarq.so.1.0 - Shareable NARQ (database interface) library for GATEC application.

libnarq\_util.sa.1.0 - Global data NARQ utilities library (not used).

libnarq\_util.so.1.0 - Shareable NARQ utilities library for GATEC application.

libnora.sa.1.0 - Global data NORA library (not used).

libnora.so.1.0 - Shareable NORA (NARQ support) library for GATEC application.

The "lib" directory will also have one sub-directory named gst.

/home/gatec2/lib-gatec-<version\_id>\_<date>/gst - Contains directories of translation definitions for creating X12 transactions as well as decoding them.

2.0alltocdf - Directory contains translation files used by the translator (TE) to create 864, 843, 997, or 824 CDFs.

30 33 34

2.0cdfto824 - Contains translation files used by the translator (TE) to generate a X12 824 document from a 824 CDF.

2.0cdfto836 - Contains translation files used by the translator (TE) to generate a X12 836 transaction from a 836 CDF.

```
1
10
106
107
108
109
11
12
12345678901234
13
14
15
16
19
2
20
21
22
23
3
30
33
34
38
39
4
40
42
43
44
45
47
48
5
50
51
52
53
55
57
58
59
6
60
61
```

2.0cdfto840 - Contains translation files used by the translator (TE) to generate a X12 840 transaction from a 840 CDF.

```
47
48
5
50
51
52
53
55
57
58
59
6
60
61
62
63
64
66
67
68
70
72
75
76
77
78
79
8
83
```

2.0cdfto850 - Contains translation files used by the translator (TE) to generate a X12 850 transaction from a 850 CDF.

```
1
10
106
107
108
109
11
12
12345678901234
13
14
15
16
19
1versionctrl
2
```

```
20
21
22
23
2versionctrl
30
33
34
38
39
3versionctrl
40
42
43
44
45
47
48
5
50
51
52
53
55
57
58
59
6
60
61
62
63
64
66
67
68
7
70
72
75
76
77
78
79
8
83
9
```

2.0cdfto864 - Contains translation files used by the translator (TE)

to generate a X12 864 transaction from a 864 CDF.

x12to824 - Contains translation files used by the translator (TE) to perform a context check on incoming X12 transactions. This translation insures that all parameters for the X12 DoD convention have been specified for the transactions. If not, an 824 is generated and sent back to the vendor through the hub.

```
44
45
47
48
4versionctrl
50
51
52
53
55
57
58
59
5versionctrl
60
61
62
63
64
66
67
68
6versionctrl
7
70
72
75
76
77
78
7versionctrl
8
83
8versionctrl
838C message.
1
```

838toadd - Contains translation files used by TE to translate an

x12to997.3010 - Contains translation files used by the translator (TE) to perform a standard 997 check on incoming X12 transactions. This insures that all parameters which must be

specified to fulfill the X12 convention have been specified for the transaction.

/home/gatec2/tmp - Will contain the CDF and X12 files whose names will be in the following form:

cdfin<four/five\_digit\_number> (e.g. cdfin7215, cdfin12345)

Original CDF file as generated by GATEC application.

cdfout<four/five\_digit\_number> (e.g. cdfout7317, cdfout 34890)

CDF file after being processed by outbound application to remove all asterisk characters.

x12out<four/five\_digit\_number> (e.g. x12out8904, x12out93215)

Complete X12 message encapsulated in SMTP. Shell capable.

Periodically this directory is automatically cleaned to prevent it from over flowing

/home/gatec2/etc - Will contain two files:

cdf\_regexp - contains valid regular expressions (grammar of BCAS CDF parameters, e.g. a UTN number is 16 characters, the first being alphanumeric, the next five being digits, etc) which are used by the regular expression checker cdf\_check, to verify data being uploaded to BCAS is grammatically correct.

dblogin - contains the ORACLE database login information used by the sh\_get\_login\_info script as well as the "CDF to DB" software.

## /home/gatecmgr - Contains GATEC specific software.

Contains home directory files for gatec manager.

set\_ecedi\_env - executes script that sets up environment for gatecmgr operations

/home/archive - Contains GATEC specific software.

/home/archive/syslog - Contains system time stamp logs for all sent/received messages. File names will be of the form:

Sysl.<three char month>x<date> (e.g. Sysl.Julx23)

/home/archive/archive - Contains mail log of all sent/received messages. File names will be of form:

arch.<year><month><date> (e.g. arch.931210 is the log file for December 10, 1993)

**/home/ecedi** - Contains GATEC support software.

The directory tree for ecedi will not be repeated here for the sake of brevity. It is identical to the one described for the Database Machine.

**/etc -** Contains GATEC support software.

printcap - Establishes outbound, inbound, inbound2, and inbound3 queues in printcap file.

/usr/spool/cron/crontabs - - Contains GATEC support software.

root - cron tab that runs /home/gatec2/bin/newsyslog to roll over archive.

/usr/spool/lpd - Contains GATEC support software.

inbound - Spooling area for inbound queue.

inbound2 - Spooling area for inbound2 queue.

inbound3 - Spooling area for inbound3 queue.

outbound - Spooling area for outbound queue.

## 7.3 Appendix C - One SPARC-10 Directory Structure

The contents of the two /home/gatec2/bin directories as well as the /home/gatec2/lib directories are combined. All other directories mentioned (as well as their contents) are placed on the one machine.

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